THE WEATHER
Fair tonight; Sunday increasing cloudiness; moderate westerly winds.

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Germany Refuses American Demands

EXPLOSION ON LINER SAID TO BE HOLT'S BOMB

Placed Aboard Minnehaha as She Lay at New York Harbor—Sailors Hurled Into Air

HALIFAX, N. S., July 10.—A bomb placed aboard the Atlantic Transport Liner Minnehaha as she lay at her pier in New York caused the explosion and fire at sea, in the opinion of the officers of the steamer, which put in here for examination yesterday.

The explosion occurred in No. 3 hold and was of terrific force, shaking the vessel from stem to stern. Those of the crew who were forward at the time were fairly stunned by the shock and two sailors were hurled bodily into the air.

Flames followed quickly and for two days and two nights the crew battled heroically to save the ship, which Erich Muenter, alias Frank Holt, had boasted he would send to the bottom.

There is no doubt in the minds of the officers that Erich Muenter, alias Frank Holt, or confederates, were responsible for the outrage, which, well-timed, occurred at 4.15 p. m. of July 7, the date upon which the dynamiter predicted that some vessel, of the name of which he appeared uncertain, would be destroyed.

One of the officers said: "When we left New York I felt that we were in for trouble." This officer explained that he had not liked the looks of some of the longshoremen who had loaded the vessel, and said that as she steamed down the harbor a launch was passed, the occupants of which shouted, "Minnehaha, down, down," at the same time pointing to the water.

"You cannot tell me," he concluded, "that those fellows did not know a bomb had been placed in our ship."

Muenter's plans were frustrated by the fact that his weapon of destruction was placed with miscellaneous freight forward and so separated by stout bulkheads from an enormous cargo of ammunition which, with other inflammable munitions of war intended for the allies, filled the afterholds.

While the sailors fought the fire Capt. Claret headed his ship for Halifax and brought her safely through a southwesterly gale and thick fog to an anchorage in the lower harbor here at 1 o'clock this afternoon. By that time the flames had eaten their way through No. 3 hold and into No. 4 hold, but late yesterday afternoon it was announced that they had been extinguished.

"FINE AND DANDY"

Officials so Report on Condition of J. P. Morgan, Who Was Shot by Holt a Week Ago

NEW YORK, July 10.—J. P. Morgan, who was shot twice a week ago in an attempt on his life by Erich Muenter, alias Frank Holt, was "feeling fine and dandy" today, was the report at his office here.

UPHOLDS COMMANDER WHO SUNK LUSITANIA

German Evasion of Liability May Lead to Severance of Diplomatic Relations—Blames England for the Lusitania Slaughter—Offers Safety to American Ships and Americans on Belligerent Ships not Carrying Contraband

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Although the official text of Germany's note on submarine warfare had not reached here early today the press copy which was read by officials was accepted as verification of earlier impressions that Germany had refused to give the United States the assurances asked for in the American note of June 9. Everywhere in official quarters the reply was discussed along with the probable action that the United States would be compelled to take as a result of Germany's unwillingness to concede to Americans the right to travel on the high seas on peaceful merchantmen of any nationality.

Pres. Wilson to Leave Cornish

President Wilson will start from Cornish, N. H., for Washington in a day or two to consider with his cabinet the grave situation impending. Comment in official quarters today was sparing as to the course that would be pursued, the general feeling being that nothing should be said until the president had returned.

On the other hand, those in official quarters familiar with diplomatic precedents and the progressive development of the American attitude believed that, having stated its position and asked for assurances which now have been refused, the only course left open for the United States seemed to be an announcement that it intended to assert its rights as established under the rules of international law. This would mean in effect that the United States would await a violation by Germany before taking action to compel respect for the rights asserted.

Diplomatic Relations

There was a revival of talk concerning the severance of diplomatic relations, it being recalled in official circles that in the now famous cabinet meeting of May 11, when the sinking of the Lusitania was first considered there was an informal understanding that if the negotiations of the United States to secure reparation from Germany for the destruction of American lives in that tragedy failed, the American government might be justified in discontinuing diplomatic intercourse with Germany. Germany's complete evasion of liability for the loss of Americans on the Lusitania has revived the subject most acutely, according to well informed persons.

For several days there has been an

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OPTIMISTIC VIEW OF THE WAR IN LONDON

Allies Cheered by British Conquest of German Southwest Africa and Russian Resistance

London despatches reflect an optimistic view of the war situation taken by the entente allies, induced chiefly by the British conquest of German Southwest Africa, and the increasing powers of resistance shown by the Russians.

The Russian official statement reports the blocking of German attempts to advance toward Warsaw from the north and east and declares the offensive taken by the Russian armies below Lublin is developing.

Teutons Still in Retreat

The Teutonic forces in the southern Poland region are continuing to retreat, Petrograd declares, but are fighting stubbornly as they retire. A Petrograd correspondent says the Germans are sending strong reinforcements for this army and it is believed there will shortly be an attempt by it to recover its lost initiative.

Austrians Repulsed

Along the Italian-Austrian front the repulse of Austrian attacks in several sectors are reported from Rome. The latest statement from Vienna reports comparative quiet along this front and the breaking up of isolated attacks by the Italians.

Comment on Note

The German reply to the American note on the Lusitania and submarine warfare has been published both in this country and in Germany, but the official text is not yet in the hands of the Washington government. Pending its receipt and in the absence of President Wilson from the capital, comment in official circles is withheld.

Indications of the way the note is regarded in Germany are furnished by cable excerpts from an editorial in the Berlin Morgent Post which declares the answer "in every way is worthy of Germany" and expresses the conviction that the note "will meet unrestrained approval at the hands of a large part of Americans."

FEELING OF OPTIMISM AGAIN MANIFESTING ITSELF IN LONDON

LONDON, July 10, 11.55 a. m.—A feeling of optimism which has been absent for some time, again is manifesting itself here. This feeling is chiefly due to Gen. Botha's victory in German Southwest Africa which at one stroke deprives Germany of territory larger than that of the German empire.

The size of the captured territory is enormously disproportionate to that of the defending forces which consisted of 204 officers and 3166 men.

The cheerfulness of the entente allies also has been aided by the stands being made by the Russians near Lublin, in southern Russian Poland, and along the Zlota Lipa river in Galicia. It is believed in London that the stubborn resistance of the Russians is doing much to postpone the dreaded German offensive along the western front.

Kitchener's Speech a Warning

Only fragmentary summaries of the German reply to America have so far been published here, but for several days the British press has been busy predicting that Berlin's reply to the second Lusitania note would be unsatisfactory.

The newspapers comment at length on the speech of Field Marshal Earl Kitchener at the Guildhall yesterday, according to their views regarding conscription, one faction maintaining that the war secretary uttered a direct warning of the possibility of forced military service while the other organs profess to see in his remarks a reaffirmation of the belief in the efficacy of the voluntary system.

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S WAR NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

French drive Germans off Ban-de-Sapt hill in Vosges and set back German line nearly half a mile.

British after a two-day hand grenade battle push Germans out of more trenches north of Ypres.

Berlin announces capture of French fortifications near Ally on Verdun-Metz sector.

Vienna announces that heavy Russian assaults north of Krasnik were repulsed.

Turks and Arabs invade Aden Hinterland and menace British port near Red sea entrance.

British and French government and military heads confer at Calais.

Earl Kitchener appeals for more men; all of military fitness in Britain to be asked to enlist.

BOMBS ON SHIPS

Nine Found Hidden in Bags of Sugar on the Kirkoswald

NEW YORK, July 10.—Nine bombs were found aboard the steamer Kirkoswald at Marseilles, where the vessel went to discharge its cargo of sugar from New York on her last outward voyage, according to the Kirkoswald's officers who reached here today on the steamer's return trip.

The bombs were ridden in bags of sugar, taken aboard, ship's officers say, at the Fabre line pier in Brooklyn.

All the bombs were found while unloading the cargo.

The Kirkoswald, flying the British flag, sailed from New York May 2 for Marseilles. This was about the time that the activities of the bomb placers so far as yet disclosed reached their height. Of the three other vessels, which, it was learned recently, sailed out of New York with bombs secreted in their cargo, two departed within a few days of the Kirkoswald. These were the Lord Erne, sailing April 29, and the Bankdale, which left here May 7th.

Like the Kirkoswald, both these vessels were British and both sailed for Havre. The United States secret service and the French government, it was said, have been pressing investigations of these attempts to destroy the vessels. Whether other instances, notably that of the Kirkoswald, were under investigation could not be ascertained here.

The Kirkoswald is a vessel of 4021 tons gross register, is 370 feet long and was built in 1912. She was cleared from this port May 1 by J. W. Elwell & Co., agents of the Fabre line.

SUNK BY SUBMARINES

ITALIAN AND NORWEGIAN STEAMERS SENT TO THE BOTTOM TODAY

LONDON, July 10, 2 p. m.—The steamship Clio (presumably Italian) and the Norwegian steamer Nordas were torpedoed and sunk today by German submarines.

ST. COLUMBA'S GARDEN PARTY
On the Church Grounds
Wednesday-Thursday, July 14-15
AFTERNOON AND EVENING
BABY SHOW Wednesday Afternoon
OPEN TO ALL
Three Registered Nurses Judges.

COMATOS AGAIN IN COURT

Murder Suspect Brought Up on Continuance—Case Again Put Over—Giakas Also in Dock

John Comatos, the man held for the murder of John Demos in a tenement block at 2 Elm place on the night of Wednesday, June 30, was arraigned on continuance before Judge Enright in police court this forenoon. At the request of Deputy Downey, prosecuting officer, defendant was held until July 19 without bail. This continuance was agreed to by Attorneys Jas. F. Owens and Benjamin J. Moloney for the defendant.

At the same time Athanasius Giakas, alias Arthur George, alias George Giakas, was ordered to recognize in the sum of $2000 for his appearance in the local court on that day to give evidence. Since the conclusion of the preliminary hearing on the inquest yesterday, Giakas has been detained at the station, not being able to secure surety. Today he was taken to the Lowell jail together with Comatos.

When Giakas was ordered held as a witness, Attorney Daniel J. Donahue informed the court that Giakas had retained him as counsel. Mr. Donahue requested that the government be instructed not to question the man unless he were present.

Both men were brought into court at the same time by Court Officer Philip Dwyer and placed in the dock during the formal reading of the complaint. Comatos seemed little disturbed by the court proceedings and after the continuance had been agreed to he followed the court officer down stairs to a cell again. Giakas, who furnished $500 bail on a larceny charge, was next continued and then taken downstairs and later in the patrol to the Lowell jail. Harry Demaris acted as interpreter.

BECKER LOSES

Justice Hughes Has Refused Application for Writ of Error

RANGELEY, Me., July 10.—Justice Charles E. Hughes has refused the application for a writ of error to the United States supreme court made by counsel for Charles Becker of New York who has been condemned to die in the week of July 26 for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler.

STRIKE SETTLED

16,000 Chicago Carpenters Return to Their Jobs

CHICAGO, July 10.—The strike of 16,000 union carpenters which, for nearly two months has paralyzed the building industry in Chicago, is over. Settlement on all points at issue was reached early today after committees representing the carpenters, building construction employers' association and building material interests had been locked in conference since 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The carpenters were ordered to return to work at once.

The settlement was regarded by both sides as a compromise.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FUNERAL NOTICES

ROGERS—Died in Brighton, Mass., July 9th, Alonzo D. Rogers, aged 48 years, 11 months and 4 days, at St. Elizabeth's hospital. Funeral services at his late home, 38 John street, this city, Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

BRECKENRIDGE—The funeral of Robert Breckenridge will take place Sunday afternoon from his home, 131 Jewett street. Private prayers at the house at 2 o'clock. Services at the Paige Street Baptist church at 2.30. Friends invited. Burial private. Funeral in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

SARGENT—The funeral of Mrs. Hannah Augusta Sargent will take place Sunday afternoon. Services will be held at 416 Pleasant street, Hovey square, Dracut, at 2.45 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. Kindly omit flowers. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HOWARD—Died in this city, July 9, at the Lowell General hospital, Mr. Lester Howard of No. 35 Livingston avenue. Funeral services will be held from the chapel of Undertakers Simmons & Brown, 96 Branch street, on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are invited. Burial will be in the Westlawn cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

MONAHAN—The funeral of Michael Monahan will take place Monday morning from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons, Market street, at 8 o'clock. A high mass of requiem will be sung at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Burial in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MOODY—Died July 10, in this city, Harlan Stewart Moody, aged 1 year, 10 months and 21 days, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Moody, 173 Stackpole street. Funeral services will be held at 173 Stackpole street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited, without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

DEATHS

HOWARD—Mr. Lester Howard of 35 Livingston avenue, died yesterday morning at the Lowell General hospital, aged 21 years. He is survived by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard; five brothers, two sisters, all in England except one brother, John P. Howard of this city. The body was removed to the chapel of Undertakers Simmons & Brown, 96 Branch street.

BATTLE NEAR CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Despatches to the Carranza agency today say Gen. Gonzales and his troops attacking Mexico City have now penetrated to Villa de Guadeloupe, about two miles from the capital. Heretofore all fighting has been in the outer suburbs.

PLAN MORE BUILDINGS

U. S. CARTRIDGE CO. TO BUILD ADDITION AND GARAGE OFF WATSON STREET

Work has been started on the erection of the four story addition to the main building of the U. S. Cartridge Co., in Lawrence street and within a few weeks workmen will start excavation for a one-story brick garage for the company to be erected in a field in Watson street. The garage will be a one story affair, 150 feet long and 60 feet wide. It will include a machine shop for the repairing of automobiles and will be capable of housing more than 35 machines. The plans will probably be completed next week. The work will be supervised by the Wamesit Power Co.

The new addition to the main building will extend out to the four-story building along Andrew street which was started some time ago, is nearly completed and will soon be ready for occupancy.

The addition to the main building and the new garage will cost over $100,000.

BRITISH SHIP SUNK

STEAMSHIP ELLESMERE TORPEDOED BY GERMANS OFF THE CORNISH COAST

LONDON, July 10, 1.07 p. m.—The British steamship Ellesmere was shelled and then torpedoed and sunk today by a German submarine off the Cornish coast. The crew of 21 men, with the exception of a Norwegian fireman, who was killed by a shell, were saved.

MAN SHOT AND KILLED

WM. BARNABY'S BODY FOUND IN HOUSE WHERE HE BOARDED

TOWNSEND, July 10.—The discovery today that William E. Barnaby had been shot and killed at the home of Byron Blood, where he boarded, was followed by the detention as material witnesses of Blood and of Joseph Smith and James Brown of Lunenburg. Three sisters of Blood also were questioned.

Hugo Palkinen, a neighbor, reported to the police that he heard shots in the Blood house and when officers investigated they found Barnaby's body. No firearms were found on the premises.

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From Yesterday's Late Editions

COUNTY COMMISSION MET

The county commissioners, Messrs. Gould, Williams and Harlow were in Lowell this morning for the purpose of giving the selectmen of Chelmsford a hearing on their petition calling for the relocation of what is known as Billerica street extending from Chelmsford Centre to Billerica.

D. Frank Small, chairman of the board of selectmen of Chelmsford was the only representative of the petitioners and he said the purpose of the petition was to enable the residents and land owners in Billerica street to sell their land or build houses according to law, and they have petitioned the county commissioners in order to have them draw out the line of the said street from the Lowell road at Chelmsford Centre to where it joins the road at East Chelmsford and the road to North Billerica near lands of the heirs of Julia E. Warren at River Meadow brook.

After hearing Selectman Small's argument, there being no remonstrants, the commissioners voted to relocate the road and widen it ten feet in order to make it 50 feet instead of 40.

At the conclusion of the hearing which lasted about 20 minutes, the commissioners left in automobiles for Reading, where they viewed a bridge over the railroad tracks on the state highway leading to Revere, Mass. The residents of Reading and others want the bridge removed and widened so as to make it in line with the highway. This bridge is located between Wilmington and Reading, over the Boston & Maine railroad tracks.

The Richardson mill dam near Mishawum road in Woburn was the next place visited. The city officials of Woburn have asked the commissioners to view the dam, for they claim it is unsafe and a menace to the city.

DEATHS

COLEMAN—Mrs. Anna F. Coleman died last evening at her home, 7 Christian street, at the age of 87 years. Besides her husband, Cornelius, she leaves one son, William, and two daughters, Mrs. John Dempsey and Mrs. William Gaule.

SWALLOW—John Swallow died yesterday afternoon at his home, 59 Sidney street, aged 92 years, 2 months, 28 days. Mr. Swallow had been a resident of this city for the past 15 years. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Benjamin Swallow of this city; 10 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

FLIGG—Beatrice Mary, oldest daughter of William and Catherine Fligg, died last evening after a short illness at the home of her parents, 35 Bowden street, aged 3 years, 1 month, 17 days. She is survived by her parents, two brothers, James and Hollis Fligg, and one sister, Lillian Fligg.

SARGENT—Died July 9th, in Dracut, Mrs. Hannah Augusta Sargent, aged 74 years, 6 months and 4 days at her home, 416 Pleasant street. She is survived by one son, Alexis D. Sargent.

BURTON—Susan E. Burton died at her home in Billerica Centre, July 9. Besides her husband, C. L. Burton, she is survived by one son, C. E. Martin of Lynn, Mass.

CODALSKIA—Died today, Mary, the infant daughter of John and Sophia Codalskia, at the home of the parents, 157 Lakeview avenue.

REED—Mrs. Angie Reed died July 7 at the Woman's hospital, Brookline, aged 43 years. She leaves her husband, David S. Reed, a father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. George Charles, three brothers, Geary, Thomas and James, and two sisters, Mrs. Benjamin Williston and Mrs. Henry Hunnewell of this city.

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FUNERALS

CAHILL—The funeral of the late Miss Mary A. Cahill took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons with a number from out of town in attendance. The cortege proceeded to St. Margaret's church where, at 9 o'clock, a mass of requiem was sung by the pastor, Rev. Charles J. Galligan. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The bearers were Harry Farley, James Farley, Thomas Saunders, John Dowd, Thomas Cahill and John P. Farley, Esq. At the grave Rev. Father Galligan read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

POLICE OFFICER DROPPED

TOWN OF TWNGSBORO CANNOT AFFORD ANY AT MOUNTAIN ROCK AND RESIDENTS PROTEST

The residents of Mountain Rock, which is located in Tyngsboro are up in arms against the selectmen of the town and it is probable they will get things going before long for they have discharged the police officer who was doing duty at the summer resort, on the grounds that enough money was not available to keep the place under police protection.

The 150 or more families who are living at Mountain Rock feel they should be given police protection for they pay high taxes, and then again the district is so close to Lakeview park that a number of undesirable characters are always roaming in the vicinity. One of the residents of the district in conversation with a Sun reporter today said a police officer is badly needed night and day at Mountain Rock, and the salary which was being paid the former officer, Norbert Provencher, was not so large as to cause complaint.

"Officer Provencher is getting his reward for efficient service," said another, "and that is a very poor way for a town to treat a district which is bringing fairly large revenues to the treasury. With Officer Provencher on deck, we were all at ease for we knew we were fully protected. The aged gentleman was constantly on the job and during the 18 months he was on duty, Mountain Rock was cleared of its rowdies, who were a public nuisance and at times caused considerable trouble. The officer was brave and this was noticeable when only a few months ago he arrested a murderer about five minutes after a man had been shot to death on the grounds, and now the town is compensating him by letting him go on the ground that money is not available."

It was stated today the women of the district will petition the selectmen to reinstate Officer Provencher because from the early hours in the morning until late at night they are practically unprotected in that district. They say if the selectmen are prejudiced against the officer it is up to them to put somebody else on the job, for they want a police officer at Mountain Rock. The nearest officer available in case of emergency resides several miles from the place and before he could be located a burglar, murderer or other undesirable character could easily escape.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Herdman are on a short visit to Brooklyn, N. Y.

Miss Helen Roberts of Lawrence spent the holidays with Miss Marion Cooney of Huntington street.

Miss Margaret and Loretto Wilcox of Ames street, are spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett of Revere, Mass.

Ruth Madole of Ames street and Elsie Van Steenburgs of Pollard street will spend the next two weeks in Somerville, Mass.

Miss Matilda Crowe and sister, Mrs. Mamie Gauthier, and daughter Mildred of Chicopee, Mass., are spending two weeks with their cousin, Miss McCabe of Franklin street.

Mrs. Arthur Palmer of Concord, N. H., with her two children has been spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Carroll of 22 Wedge street.

PUSHING BRIDGE WORK

LAWRENCE, July 9.—Fearing that the proposed new concrete bridges extending over the Shawsheen river into North Andover at Merrimack and Loring streets will not be completed before the frost sets in, Alderman Hannagan got into telephonic communication with County Commissioner James C. Poor in Salem today and urged that operations already begun be pushed with greater dispatch.

ESCAPES DEATH BY HOURS

OSSINING, N. Y., July 9.—Carol Dranowitz, convicted of an East Side trunk murder, who was sentenced to die at 6.30 this morning, received his fourth reprieve last night. Governor Whitman called Warden Osborne on the telephone and informed him he had granted the reprieve at the request of the Russian ambassador.

FIGHT TO SAVE BECKER

NEW YORK, July 9.—There seems little doubt that it is the present intention of Charles Becker's attorneys to take exactly the same procedure in his case as was taken in the case of Leo Frank, whose fight in Georgia to escape the gallows resulted in a commutation of sentence to life imprisonment by Gov. Slaton.

$1000 DAMAGE TO SUBMARINE

QUINCY, July 9.—The fire in the battery compartment of a partially completed submarine yesterday was found today to have done about $1000 damage. Investigation indicated that the fire was due to the short circuiting of electric wires which ignited the fumes from a can of varnish.

The damaged submarine is one of several under construction at a local shipbuilding plant for a belligerent nation, believed to be Great Britain, to be delivered after the war.

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PERILOUS EXPERIENCE

14 MEN IN TWO BOATS DRIVEN ACROSS BAY BY MILE A MINUTE GALE

VINAL HAVEN, Me., July 9.—Fourteen men on two boats of the Eastern Dredging Co. had a perilous experience early today when they were driven across Western Penobscot bay by a gale, which at times exceeded 60 miles an hour to Vinal Haven.

Both craft sank between Brimstone and Outer Island and the men escaped to a small scow from which they were rescued by a small power boat after the sea had somewhat subsided.

The men were on the drill boat Rockport and a houseboat in which they lived while engaged in dredging operations in the channel at Stonington. The boats were anchored in Deer Isle thoroughfare, when they broke away.

When it was found that they had disappeared, search was made by tugs, but no trace of them was found in the vicinity of Deer Isle and it was believed the men had been carried to sea. Later word was received that the boats had been sunk after having been blown 15 miles across the bay. One of the men was slightly injured in climbing aboard the scow.

LAWRENCE ELKS OUTING

Rockingham park will be the scene of the annual outing of the members of Lawrence lodge, No. 65, B. P. O. E., on July 21, and, according to plans made, the event will eclipse any that the popular organization has held in the past. A parade will be held in this city before the party leaves for the park and John F. Casey will be marshal. Each member will be allowed to invite two guests.

Many members of the Lowell lodge will attend the outing.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SIX HURT AT KEANSBURG, N. J.

KEANSBURG, N. J., July 9.—The high wind that struck this place yesterday afternoon did much damage and injured six persons, two of them so badly that they were removed to the Monmouth Memorial hospital at Long Branch.

DROWNS HAVING A BATH

NEW YORK, July 9.—Philip Morris, the 16-months old son of Mrs. Mary Morris of 2367 Eighth avenue, was drowned yesterday afternoon in the bathtub in which his mother was bathing him and his two-year-old sister Helen.

July Clearance Sale

Friday and Saturday Bargains

Trimmed Hats for.....$1.98
Trimmed Hats for.....$2.98
Trimmed Hats for.....$3.98
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Dress Shapes for.....98c
Dress Shapes for.....49c

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(Small Chicken Halibut—Fresh In)

SMOKED SHOULDERS, lb.....12c
(California Hams So-Called—8 to 10 lbs. Each)

"CRYSTAL BRAND" SALSODA.....3 for 10c
(Regular 6c Size—Just to Clean Up an Odd Lot)

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(Boned Out, These Fores Make as Fine a Roast as You Want)

NATIVE GREEN PEAS, pk.....20c
(Not Our Best, But Very Good Quality)

LARGE RIPE WATERMELONS, each.....30c

BORDEN'S PEERLESS MILK, can.....7½c
(Campers Should Take These by the Dozen)

NATIVE CUCUMBERS, each.....2c
(Not Extra Large—Enough for Two)

FRESH KILLED NATIVE FOWL, lb.....25c
(Right From the Rowland Farm—Any Size)

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HOW HE KILLED WHITE

Thaw Says He Shot White After He Saw Him Move His Hand Toward His Pocket

NEW YORK, July 9.—Harry K. Thaw, during his second day on the witness stand at the trial to determine whether he has recovered his sanity, retold the story of how he killed Stanford White, and denied that he had ever paid Susan A. Merrill large sums of money to keep secret the names of "certain persons." He said he shot White after he saw him move his hand toward his pocket.

Thaw spoke in a low tone of voice and appeared to be composed. Once or twice he answered his cross-examiner sharply.

In reply to a question he said he did not remember saying, after he shot White that "he glared at me and I sailed into him, bow first."

Will Not Call Evelyn

Deputy Attorney General Cook announced at the opening of the afternoon session that he would abandon his efforts to bring Evelyn Nesbit Thaw here to testify. Mr. Cook said it had been reported to him that Mrs. Thaw was too ill to make the trip here from Chateaugay lake and withstand the ordeal of testifying.

BANKRUPT SALE

of the E. O. Squire's Stock

Which started yesterday at Lowell's Best and Busiest Cloak Store has proven to be one of the greatest and most sensational sales of Suits, Coats, Dresses, Waists, Skirts, Petticoats and Children's Garments ever held in this part of the country. The crowds who attended this sale today were so amazed over the beautiful stock and the prices at which we are selling—they were breathless. Everyone who left the store was smiling and overjoyed with the purchases they made and the splendid merchandise received and the money they saved. If you haven't been here—by all means come early tomorrow and remember the store is open tomorrow night. This stock is going down fast.

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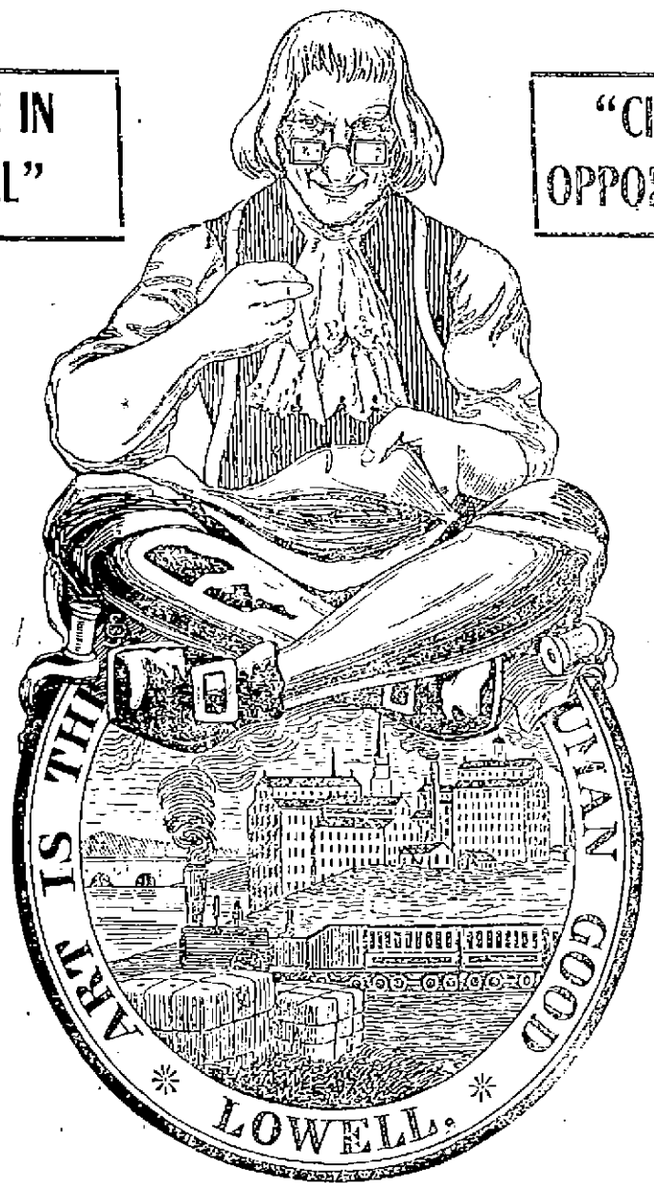

We Announce Our

31st Semi-Annual

$20 Suit and Overcoat Sale

Beginning yesterday and continuing for two weeks we shall, as per our semi-annual custom, sell our $25, $28 and $30 Suitings and Overcoatings for $20 to order.

We have an unusually large stock from which to select consisting of much dark colored goods as well as light colored goods, and considerable heavyweight goods, as well as light weight goods—also considerable Blue Serge.

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Full Time Schedule Put in Operation Today—Business Good

The Boston & Maine repair shops in Billerica, which have been operating on a five day a week schedule for many months, this week started to run five hours on Saturday as a result of an increase in business. Though the employes will now work but 45 hours per week, it is understood they will receive pay for 48 hours, a half holiday on Saturday being given them by the company.

Since the curtailment last year the big shops, where over a thousand hands are employed, have operated but five eight-hour days a week. The large amount of work coming into the shops daily from all over the division has necessitated the opening of the plant on Saturday afternoons, beginning today, and the full force reported at the shops this morning at 7 o'clock and will work until 1 this afternoon. The working hours during the other days are from 8 a. m. to 4.30 p. m. with a half hour for dinner.

Although the majority of the employes welcome the promise of better business, it is stated that the men who still reside in Concord and Keene, N. H., will make an effort to work five nine-hour days a week and close on Saturdays, making the same total number of hours. This request is made so that the residents of the Granite state will have an opportunity to spend the week-ends with their families as they have been doing for the past year. While the authorities will not promise this schedule, it is intimated that in the near future operations will begin at the plant at 7 o'clock on Saturdays and suspend at noon, so that the New Hampshire men may get an earlier start for their respective homes.

RUSSIAN WAR REPORT

PETROGRAD, July 9, via London, July 10, 4.55 a. m.—The following official statement was issued tonight at the headquarters of the Russian general staff:

"Operations in the Shavli region, west of the Niemen, on the Narew front and on the left of the Vistula, have been without important changes.

"On the Bohr, below Ossowetz, near the village of Brjostovo, an attempt by the enemy to bridge the river was frustrated by our fire and the bridge was destroyed.

"We captured an enemy aeroplane in the valley of the Pissa.

"In the sector of Jednorowjetz-Przasnysz there have been lively artillery duels and isolated engagements.

"In the direction of Bolimow near the village of Goumine, the enemy was unable to advance at any point in spite of the use by him of asphyxiating gases and we continue to occupy our original positions.

"In the direction of Lublin our offensive has developed in the entire region from the confluence of the Poblife brook to a point south of Rychawa (north of Krasnik.) The enemy continues to retire while trying to stop our advance and offered particularly stubborn resistance on Hill 118 south of the village of Vikolazgorny. The number of prisoners taken by us thus far exceeds 15,000.

"On the Bug, Zlota Lipa and Dniester rivers there has been no change, beyond a fruitless attack on the village of Kouwach on the Bug. Our patrols have reconnoitered the entire front during the last 24 hours and made hundreds of prisoners. The enemy left on our front 500 killed and wounded."

HAS NOT YET RECOVERED

Mrs. Kozakiewicz Still Suffers From Her Experience in the War Zone in Galicia

Mrs. Kozakiewicz, wife of the East Merrimack dye house proprietor, who returned recently from Galicia, where most of the heavy fighting on the eastern frontier took place, and who underwent untold privations during her stay there, has not yet quite recovered from the nervous strain brought on undoubtedly by her trying experiences.

Mrs. Kozakiewicz was in Warsaw when the fighting was most intense, and for eight days she was forced to stay in a cellar while the shrapnel and steel of the opposing armies fell all around the house in which she was hiding with her little daughter.

Mrs. Kozakiewicz says the soldiers in the Russian hospitals are receiving the best of care, and many of them hate to leave when their time is up. She also says the soldiers taken prisoners by the Russians are subjected to all kinds of hardships. Many of the people who have been driven from their homes and have seen relatives killed by shells have gone insane as a result of the war in Galicia.

In one small hall in Warsaw, Mrs. Kozakiewicz saw over 200 grown people and about 100 children quartered, sleeping and eating together. Mrs. Kozakiewicz made the journey from the stricken country to the United States with a great deal of difficulty, and you may be sure she was glad to get back among her people in this city. Since that time, however, she has had much sickness, but is slowly recovering from the effect of the awful scenes witnessed in the war zones.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SUBMARINES FOR NAVY

WASHINGTON, July 10.—The next building program for the United States navy will include estimates for nearly double the number of submarines appropriated for by the last session of congress. From officials in close touch with the administration plans for the navy, it was learned last night that, while the general board would wait until September before making its recommendations, at least 30, and probably more, submarines certainly would be requested.

Some naval officers of high rank, who are being criticized, think that as many as 50 or 75 submarines would not be too many, but those who are taking into account the necessity for enlarging other parts of the navy program believe a conservative estimate of the number which eventually will be agreed upon is about 30. The last congress in three sessions authorized 26 submarines, and the United States has a total now of nearly 70 in commission or building.

Within two years the total, it is estimated, may be brought up to 100 under-sea craft.

REPORT OF BIRTHS

June

15—To Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Horan, of 102 Stevens street, a daughter.

17—To Mr. and Mrs. Jozef Pilard, of 27 Front street, a daughter.

20—To Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hill, of 27 Bellevue street, a son.

24—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Huckins, of 5 Mission Place, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Pasterczyp, of 100 Tilden street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. James McCarthy, of 4 Blossom street court, a son.

25—To Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Banach, of 4 rear of South street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace Suter, Jr., of 107 Hollyrood avenue, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson, of 19 Epping street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Campbell, of 43 Marion street, a son.

26—To Mr. and Mrs. John Kucinski, of 231 Gorham street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Whittemore, of 240 West Manchester street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ritchotte, of 756 Central street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McGagh, of 207 Appleton street, a daughter.

27—To Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Plarido, of 21 Webster street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Marcin Waeylak, of 30 West Fourth street, a daughter.

28—To Mr. and Mrs. Dennis A. Donohoe, of 710 Central street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John J. Canney, of 24 Burns street, a son.

29—To Mr. and Mrs. Franciszek Wrobel, of 8 Behartel avenue, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bouchee, of 17 Dodge street, a daughter.

30—To Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Drubis, of 100 Adams street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Andritsopoulos, of 11 Tremont street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jean B. Guilbault, of 339 West Sixth street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murry, of 38 Aiken avenue, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hemlund, of 16 Agawam street, a daughter.

July

1—To Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hovanian, of 42 Third street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morin, of 225 Cheever street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Panagaiopoulos, of 116 Dummer street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Savard, of 61 Branch street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. William J. Mitchell, of 228 Cross street, a daughter.

2—To Mr. and Mrs. Hermidas Lemire, of 655 Middlesex street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wormall, of 122 Quebec street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edouard Pratte, of 300 West Sixth street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Chiannakos, of 85 Jefferson street, a son.

3—To Mr. and Mrs. George Paspasina, of 3 Little street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lamphinacos of 631 Market street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Lussier, of 55 Salem street, a daughter.

4—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Seket, of 8 Bay State court, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ourer Lemire, of of 534 Moody street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. David April, of 251 Cheever street, a son.

5—To Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Mape, of 45 Fisher street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nalivika, of 104 Charles street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Slysc, of 123 Railroad street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Landry, of 151 Avon street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Percy E. Suttle, of 21 Sixth avenue, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Holt, of 712 Gorham street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter O. Burgess, of 10 North Franklin court, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sousa, of 1016 Gorham street, a daughter.

6—To Mr. and Mrs. John Garveda, of 72 Charles street, a son.

7—To Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Lauff, of 35 Lilley avenue, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Earl R. McLeod, 48 Hastings street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. James McCrandle, of 30 Appleton street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lemire, of 246 Cheever street, a son.

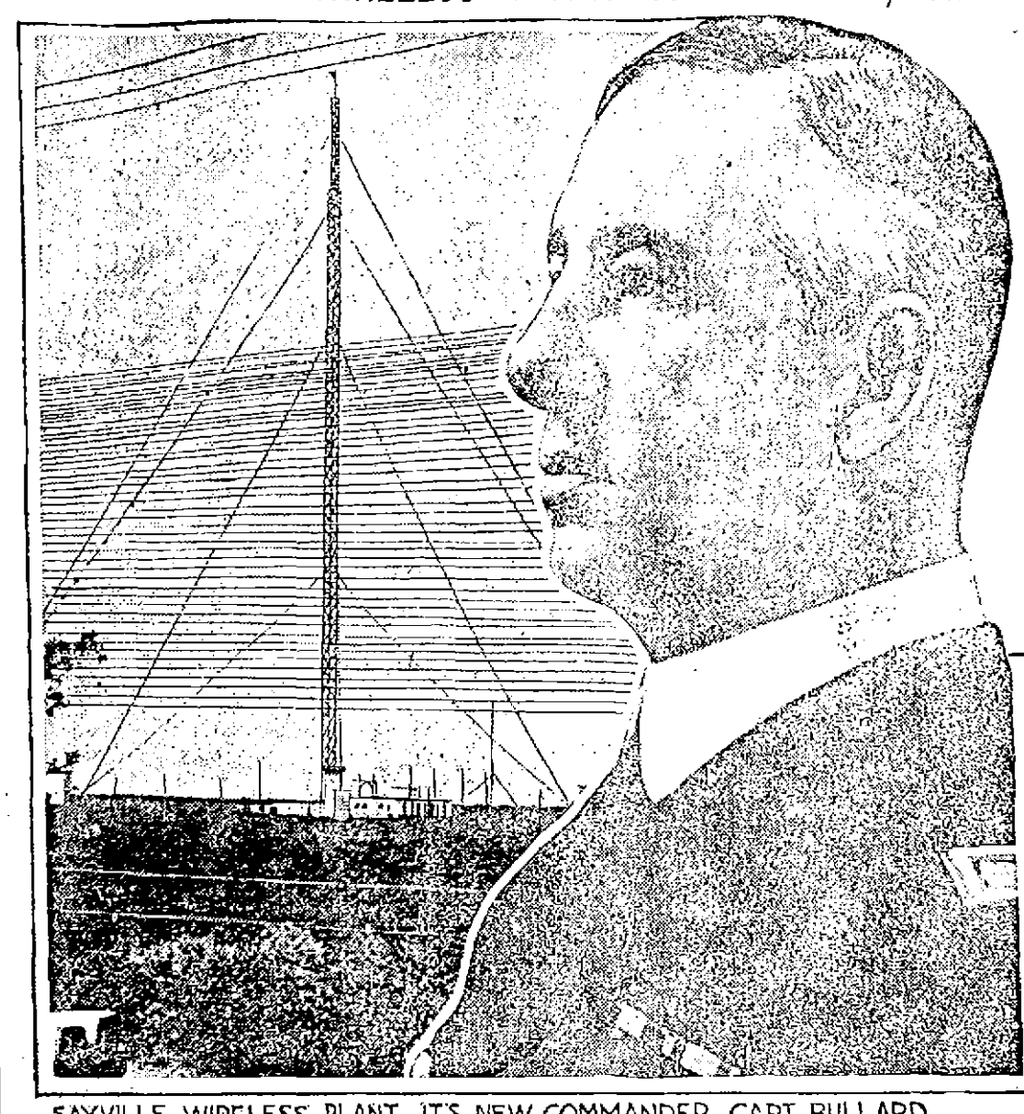
8—To Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Sophas, of 83 Mt. Vernon street, a daughter.

"MUSCULAR CHRISTIANITY"

CHICAGO, July 10. — "Muscular Christianity" found a prominent place on the program of the Christian Endeavor convention program today in a field meet at Stagg field, University of Chicago.

Relay races, sprints, the mile run, jumping and the shot put were open to all delegates.

UNITED STATES NAVY NOW CONTROLS WIRELESS PLANT AT SAYVILLE, N. Y.



SAYVILLE WIRELESS PLANT. IT'S NEW COMMANDER, CAPT. BULLARD.

In the interest of American neutrality and to avoid contravention of The Hague convention forbidding the establishment of belligerent wireless stations on neutral soil during a war, the United States government has refused to grant a license to the Atlantic Communication company for the operation of the great German wireless station at Sayville, N. Y., and will take over at once the operation, management and control of that station. The navy department notified Congressman A. Metz, president of the company, of the decision of the government to take over the plant, and Captain William H. G. Bullard, superintendent of the United States naval station at Arlington, Va., assumed charge of it, having been sent to New York city for the purpose. The decision to take this step was reached after a series of conferences between Secretary Lansing, Secretary Redfield and Secretary Daniels of the navy. It followed the receipt of a communication from President Wilson at Cornish, N. H., in which he approved their course.

PRES. WILSON PLAYS GOLF

CORNISH, N. H., July 10.—President Wilson went out for his morning round of golf today before the news reached his summer home that the text of the latest German note on submarine warfare had been cabled to the United States for publication in this morning's newspapers.

President Wilson will remain here over Sunday. He has not made definite arrangements for returning to Washington to discuss the German note with his advisers. If possible, he will return here as soon as he has finished consideration of the note and the position to be taken by the United States.

CHASED WITH BLOODHOUNDS

SHAW, Miss., July 10.—After an all-day search by posses with bloodhounds, Homer and John Wilson, father-in-law and brother-in-law respectively of J. C. Davis, who was shot and killed near here were captured and placed in jail charged with murder.

FOR EXALTED RULER

LOS ANGELES, July 10.—The man who, rumor has it, will be the next exalted ruler of the Elks, is in the city. He is James R. Nicholson of Boston, chairman of the board of grand trustees.

FRENCH WAR REPORT

PARIS, July 10, 2.35 p. m.—The French war department today issued the following statement:

"In the region to the north of Arras certain attempts at attack on the part of the Germans last night directed against our positions on the road from Angres to Souchez were repulsed. At the Labyrinth there was fighting last night with hand grenades, but without making a change in the front line of one side or the other.

"In the Champagne district, along the front between Perthes and Beausejour, between Hill No. 196 and the fort a German attack was met by the fire of our infantry and artillery and dispersed with perceptible losses.

"In Lorrain the enemy, numbering a battalion, attacked our positions near Leintrey, but they were repulsed.

"There is nothing to report otherwise for the night with the exception of certain artillery engagements, notably in the forest of Apremont, in the forest of Le Pretre and at Fontenelle, where the enemy did not deliver any counter-attack, but contented themselves with directing artillery fire on two different occasions against the positions they had lost.

"A recount of the prisoners made in the combat of July 5 gives a total of 881, including 21 officers.

"French aviators yesterday bombarded the railroad stations at Arnaville and Dayonville as well as the military barracks at Norroy. Twenty-two shells and 1000 steel arrows were thrown down."

REFUSES U. S. DEMANDS

Continued

underlone of disappointment and apprehension over what Ambassador Gerard informed the state department that the German note would contain. The feeling has been, however, that nothing formal or official could be said concerning the American position until the official text arrived. President Wilson has been giving quiet consideration to the character of the reply and some of his advisers have already been making suggestions with reference to the course that should be pursued.

Analyzing the Answer

Analyzing the German answer today, officials found little on which it appeared that the negotiations could be further prolonged. The United States had devoted its attention to the principle that Americans should be able to travel on the high seas on unarmed and unresisting belligerent merchant ships of any nationality in accordance with previously recognized principles of international law. Assurances had been asked that before any destruction would be attempted, the visit and search of peaceful vessels and the transfer of passengers and crew to a place of safety would be accomplished. It was recognized that Germany in its latest note had ignored this vital question and had shifted, now emphasizing the conditions under which it would promise complete immunity from danger to Americans traveling even on American ships, a situation which, since Germany's circular note with reference to neutral vessels received on May 11, had not been called into question.

Violation of 1825 Treaty

The expression by Germany of a confident hope that the United States "will assume to guarantee that those vessels have no contraband on board, details of arrangements for the unhampered passage of these vessels to be agreed upon by naval authorities of both sides" left the implication in the minds of many officials that Germany was prepared to destroy American passenger ships if they were found to be carrying contraband. Even though passengers and crew of a neutral ship were transferred to a place of safety the destruction of the vessel for carrying contraband has been held by the United States to be in violation of international law except in an extreme case. With reference to destruction of American ships such destruction has been held specifically to be in violation of the Prussian-American treaty of 1828. It was recalled that in the last note which Germany sent on the Frye case, this treaty was given a new interpretation in that the right to stop American ships carrying contraband and even to destroy them was declared for the first time to be a natural inference from the language of the treaty.

Uphold Sinking of Lusitania

The reference in the new note to the Lusitania tragedy created a profound impression. After having asked the United States in the first place to consider that the Lusitania was in reality an armed auxiliary cruiser and carried high explosives, which the American government in its note contradicted with official information, the German government, it now seemed, had formally justified the action of the submarine commander in sinking the vessel, thereby refusing to disavow the act as the United States had requested. The statement that the German submarine commander could not have halted the vessel without submitting his boat and crew to danger of destruction and the assertion that it was not expected that the Lusitania would sink immediately after being torpedoed, but would remain afloat while passengers were removed to her boats, was taken to mean that Germany held that regardless of whether the Lusitania was armed the submarine commander took a proper course in torpedoing the ship without warning.

England's Blockade

The argument that England by violating international law in her embargo on neutral commerce with Germany had begun a policy of starvation for Germany's civilian population was viewed by officials as entirely irrelevant. The United States has insisted that its relations with one belligerent are not to be confounded with its controversies with another and that the Lusitania case constitutes a separate question which must be settled apart from any negotiations this government may have with other nations. It was recalled by some officials that Herr von Jagow, the German foreign minister, only recently in a published interview announced that England had not succeeded in starving Germany and that the blockade policy had been a failure. In view of this announcement officials were not inclined to attach much weight to the starvation argument.

The view that Americans on board belligerent ships were entitled to no more protection than neutrals would be on land in a war zone, was vigorously disputed by officials, who pointed out that jurisdiction of the belligerent on land was complete, while the high seas are jointly owned by all nations.

Certain of Rejection

The only definite proposal made by Germany to change the present status—the suggestion that four enemy ships could sail under the American flag if neutral passenger facilities proved inadequate—was considered certain of rejection because, aside from other considerations of principle involved, the United States could not undertake to guarantee any interference with the lawful shipment of contraband from its shores to any of the belligerents. Not only is there no federal statute which could be invoked in this connection, it was pointed out, but it always has been recognized as a fundamental right of merchants in neutral countries to trade in contraband, the burden being upon the belligerent to capture the cargoes on the high seas. Officials wondered today what influences had caused the German government to completely disregard the American point of view. There were intimations that in Berlin official quarters the belief prevailed that in the United States public sentiment was divided since Mr. Bryan's resignation and that the separation of passenger and contraband traffic was favored here as a means of compromising the issue.

The full text of the German reply will be found on the last page.

$65,000 FIRE AT PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Me., July 10.—Fire late yesterday afternoon in the office building and cabinet department of the Delano Mill company, corner of Fore and Cross streets, caused at least $65,000 damage.

It was discovered by Edward Verge, a watchman, who was driven back by a burst of flame and reached the street with his clothes on fire. He was sent to the Maine General hospital and, while badly burned, will recover.

Fireman M. J. Cady of engine 4 received bad cuts on his hands while trying to open a window. For a moment a great mass of flame and smoke drove the firemen back, but under the direction of Chief Butler they finally succeeded in saving the walls of the buildings. The interior was burned out.

BRIDE DROWNED

WOLFBORO, N. H., July 10.—Mrs. Thomas A. Gallagher was drowned in Lake Wentworth here yesterday. She was the wife of Thomas A. Gallagher of 17 Ames street, Lynn, to whom she was married in Brookline a few days ago.

The couple was passing a three weeks' honeymoon here. On July 5 they were visited by the parents of the groom, who left their automobile for the use of the young couple.

HUERTA WAVES HEARING

HELD IN $15,000 BONDS WHICH HE REFUSES TO FURNISH—A PRISONER AT FORT BLISS

EL PASO, Tex., July 10.—Gen. Victoriano Huerta waived preliminary hearing on charges of conspiracy to violate the United States neutrality laws late yesterday and was held under $15,000 bond for the federal grand jury at San Antonio, Dec. 29. He declined to furnish bond and was removed to Fort Bliss, where he will be guarded by federal marshals.

Immediately, Generals Ygnacio Bravo, Edouardo Caus, Jose Delgado and Enrique Corostieta and J. E. Rainer waived preliminary hearing, but all excepting Bravo furnished bond to appear at San Antonio.

General Bravo, who is 82 years old and has served 60 years in the Mexican army, was released on his personal recognizance. The bonds of the others, which had been fixed at $15,000 each, were reduced. Caus' bond was fixed at $2500; the others at $5000 each. Their bondsmen are local bankers.

General Huerta asked permission to speak in his own defense, but was dissuaded by his attorney.

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IN MILADY'S BOUDOIR

BY GWEN SEARS

EVENING MAKE UP

The art of evening make up is no hit or miss affair. It requires utmost cleverness and sophistication to so simulate nature that nobody will ever be deceived. Yet any woman can touch up her face so it will look ten years younger under electric light, if she is careful. Once yield to haste and carelessness, however, and the secret is out.

The evening make-up may be more elaborate than the daytime one. First bathe the face in luke warm water to which a pinch of borax has been added to soften the skin. Then go over the face and neck with cold cream, wiping it off with a soft cloth. Now apply the liquid rouge and remember that all faces do not require rouge in the same places. Rouge high on cheeks and near the nose makes the face youthful. Much rouge on the outer side of the cheeks gives a hard sophisticated, middle-aged look.

The plumper the face is the less rouge should be used on the edges and the more toward the center. Put a little rouge on the chin, less if it is prominent, more if it recedes. The ear lobes should be touched with rouge for a dead white ear is never youthful.

Now go over the neck and face with liquid white powder, blending the edges softly and not forgetting the upper lid and hollow under the eyebrow. Spread on the liquid powder with a bit of absorbent cotton. Next take a stick of flesh colored grease paint and very delicately go over the hollows under the eyes, rubbing the grease paint in well with the finger tip.

Last come the eyebrows and the lips. Apply the lip stick very delicately to the lips, a little more generously to the lower lip which should look full and youthful. The eyebrows if thick need only be brushed and shaped. If thin they may be lightly penciled with black and brown powder well mixed.

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THEY DO SAY

That the police are still investigating that "South common robbery."

That the jitney drivers welcome hangers-on if nobody else does.

That but for the governor the mayor wouldn't have received such a soaking.

That it was a mean man who swiped Winn's horse.

That it doesn't take much to turn the tide of affection at city hall.

That Archie's glasses were Woolworth the money.

That George couldn't see anybody up at the depot Monday night, June 28th.

That Charlie Morse's new mixer is a concrete, not a cocktail mixer.

That it takes brains as well as money to develop a park system.

That the "dainty lunch" was served at city hall, not on the North common.

That the girl Owen invited brought her fellow along.

That it's funny how it happened with nobody home.

That it's a long, long way to the next holiday.

That the firemen had a good time over the Fourth even if they couldn't spend the day on the common.

That Billy Howe of the South End club lost his hat in an accident on Central street recently.

That business on the midway was rather slack until after the fireworks Monday night.

That Clerk Savage was timid about calling the name of a certain defendant in court Tuesday morning.

That "Packey" Reynolds will be welcomed back to the playgrounds by the youngsters.

That Exilias Paquette prefers Lowell to Quebec especially in these war times.

That it seemed as if half the population of Lowell had machines at the fireworks.

That Patrolman "Bill" Keegan makes a striking chauffeur at the wheel of the new touring car.

That the original heavenly twins, Jewett and Achin, have strong rivals in Duncan and Putnam.

That the police cannot get wise to the fact that all of the "Sunday business isn't done in the hotels.

That some boys of the Highlands don't know the difference between the doorbell and the parlor window.

That little Arthur of Liberty street is the picture of his big brother, Francis.

That Della and Madeline will be greatly missed at the Kasino during the month of August.

That Charlie should leave groceries in Pawtucketville and not gossip with the younger boys.

That there's a city official getting $1500 a year who says he is holding the job for spite.

That it takes the average man about twenty years to realize there is no place like home.

That when it comes to handling a gun in starting track events you've got to hand it to John W. Daly.

That "Reggie" McAdoo has won the reputation of being the style-setter for the young men of North Chelmsford.

That the soldiers who camped at Shedd park over the holidays were very soldierly.

That the coming outing of the employes of the Mears-Adams Shoe Co. will be a grand success.

That the song, "When the Lights Are Low" was never sung by Supt. Welsh although he put on the "dimmers."

That Supt. Gordon might know something about browntails but we question his judgment when it comes to fleas.

That the many friends of Swimmer Henry F. Sullivan are with him on his big swim against Sam Richards, the Boston marvel.

That the employes of the Massachusetts and Merrimack mills had the time of their lives the past week on their annual vacation period.

That the fourth annual reunion of St. Joseph's college alumni which will take place Aug. 12 will be the best ever.

That Postmaster Neil Mahoney of North Billerica gets an increase in salary from $1200 to $1300. Congratulations Neil.

That the store clerks are talking of changing their half holiday from Thursday to Wednesday, on account of the rain.

That the fellow who espied the pickpockets working in the crowd in the common should have followed them.

That Arthur Drouin, a former Lowell druggist, is "rolling" bullets for the Canadian army, being a member of the 41st Royal regiment.

That Edward Turnbull, the well known printer, leaves for the coast Tuesday to be gone a month at the Moose convention.

That the fellow who sneaks out early because he knows the boss is away isn't worth "salt for his porridge."

That when a very slim girl wears tan stockings she reminds you of the yellow-legged chickens you used to see way back on the farm.

That some of the girls would look more attractive if they would rub more soap on their necks and less powder on their cheeks.

That a small boy's hands and a big girl's elbows always look as if there wasn't soap and water enough to go around.

That "Gus" Donovan of Lawrence ought to make a capable member of the state industries board, for he was ever an industrious youth.

That it is a pleasure to do a favor for one who is in the least bit appreciative, and that the officials of the Sacred Heart lawn fete rank high in this quality.

That High street ought to be put in first class condition now that the work has been started for it has to its credit 1914 and 1915 appropriations for macadamizing.

That the man who has too much sense to drop a lighted match into a can of gasoline is the same fellow who knows there is no harm in flirting with another man's wife.

That Dr. John F. Fitzgerald received an appreciative letter from Hon. Jas. B. Casey for his courtesy in coming to the recent St. Margaret's party in Lowell.

That "Big Jack" Quinn, the Cambridge postal clerk, the idol of many admiring Lowell girls at Hampton beach last summer, is with the Elks' party in California.

That "Bill" Driscoll has been regaling his friends with thumb-nail sketches of the wild and woolly west and the Golden gate of California since he returned last Sunday.

That hosts of friends of James F. Morrison, the well known chemist, will be gratified to learn he has entirely recovered from his recent illness.

That Dannie O'Dea was not recognized by some of his close friends in Monday's parade. Dannie took the role of a police officer and helped materially in the success of his division.

That the store clerks have been hit hard by the rainy Thursday afternoons, but the weather man promises many pleasant Thursdays ere the summer passes away.

That Garde Frontenac did not get get any prize in the Fourth of July parade, but the concensus of opinion was that the organization was the best marching company in line.

That "Bob" Breckenridge, the popular little photographer of the Courier-Citizen staff, will be greatly missed by his many friends in and out of the newspaper circle.

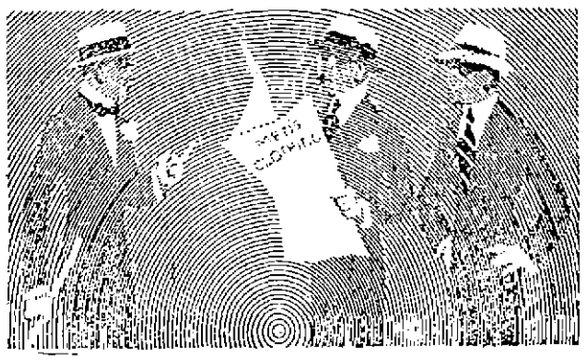
That only for Sherburne, the winner of the Sacred Heart marathon, taking a cramp when making the hill up Gorham street, he would have clipped several more minutes from the record time.

That Rep. Henry Achin and J. E. Pelnault who left Wednesday evening on the governor's party for the Panama-Pacific exposition, will have an interesting story to tell on their return to Lowell.

That the reason why the average man knows his wife wouldn't appreciate a few flowers every now and then when she is alive is because he intends to buy her $5 worth in a bunch when she is dead.

That the old adage, "hunger is sweet" proved itself in the case of the boys of the Eighth regiment when they "feasted" Sunday night on bread, coffee, fried onions and "steak" from the round of beef pretty well down the leg.

That when the poker game breaks up and a brave man announces that his wife never kicks about his staying out late, and that she has confidence in him and never asks him any questions about where he spent the night, he is mentally wondering what kind of a new lie he can tell her when he gets home, and mentally figuring out how big a battle she will put up.



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CHUCK RIB, lb. 14c
BONED ROLLS, lb. 12½c
BOSTON RIB, lb. 16c

ROAST PORK

Fancy Small Loins, lb. 13½c
City Dressed Pork, to roast, lb. 10c
Eastern Fresh Shoulders, lb. 11½c
Fresh Brisket Pork, lb. 11c
Pork Chops, lean, lb. 12c

Fresh Killed FOWL For Stew 15c | Fresh Killed FOWL, Cut Up 18c

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FANCY YEARLING, lb. 12½c
FANCY MUTTON, lb. 11c
FORES LAMB, lb. 14c
FORES YEARLING, lb. 11c

ROAST VEAL

VERY FANCY LEGS, lb. 11c
BREASTS, to Roast, lb. 12½c
LOIN, Very Nice to Bake, lb. 13c
WHOLE FORE, lb. 10c
FOR PIE, lb. 10c

Fancy Rib CHOPS, Very Best 12½c | Veal Kidney CHOPS, Very Best 18c

CORNED BEEF

Beach Corned Beef, lb. 7c
Very Best Fancy Brisket, lb. 15c
Very Best Thick End, lb. 13½c
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Corned Ox Tongue, lb. 17c
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R. J. HARVEY HAD BIG CATERING CONTRACT AT THE NORTH COMMON LAST MONDAY

One of the biggest catering feats that has been performed in this city for some time was accomplished in a most commendable manner by R. J. Harvey on Monday last when he fed approximately 2000 militiamen on the North common. Mr. Harvey's catering establishment is located at 572 Gorham street. He entered his bid for the big holiday event some time ago and was awarded the contract by the city authorities.

A great multitude of Lowell people and visitors from out of town gathered at the North common to see the soldiers receive their "rations." It was surely a scene well worth witnessing, and everyone marveled at the speedy and systematic manner in which the big proposition was carried out.

In preparing for this occasion Mr. Harvey gave a local fish dealer one of the very largest orders he has ever received, for he bought one-half ton of salmon as a portion of the menu. The bill of fare which he selected was an excellent one. Besides the salmon there were green peas, new potatoes, rolls, butter, ice cream and coffee. Each of the companies had a table allotted to it and at each table an officer was in charge. The food was arranged on the tables and the men gathered about and were given their portions. All were highly pleased with the quality of the food and the service, and Mr. Harvey received many compliments on the efficient manner in which he carried out his contract.

Mr. Harvey was a very busy man during the holidays. On Sunday night he fed Battery C at Shedd park where they were encamped. In this gathering there were about 50 men and the manner in which they were served was a credit to the caterer and his force of men. Mr. Harvey also prepared breakfast for this battery on Monday morning.

Another big job which Mr. Harvey accomplished was that of catering for the Spanish War Veterans, numbering about 150, in a large hall which they hired in Worthen street for the occasion. This took place after the parade on Monday.

For these events Mr. Harvey secured a large additional force of help and his payroll for Sunday and Monday represented a large amount of money.

Mr. Harvey started in the catering business a comparatively short time ago and his business has rapidly increased from the very first. He makes a specialty of clambakes, outings, etc. Today he will cater for the republican outing at Bunting club grounds, and the order for this occasion calls for 1500 plates.

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BASEBALL AND FIELD SPORTS

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'Y BACK IN .400 CLASS

ZIMMERMAN MAKES BIG GAIN IN NATIONAL LEAGUE—THE BATTING AVERAGES

CHICAGO, July 10.—Banging out 21 safe hits in his last 36 times at bat, Jeffie Zimmerman of the Chicago Cubs raised himself last week from about 0th place to 12th among the National League batters and threatens, with his average of .298, to break into the first .0. Last week his average was .254.

The first ten hitters, according to averages published here today, which include the records of last Wednesday and of only those players who have played in at least half the number of games are: Daubert, Brooklyn, .337; Doyle, New York, .329; Merkle, New York, .328; Luderus, Philadelphia, .323; Collins, Pittsburgh, .317; Groh, Cincinnati, .315; Wake Killifer, Cincinnati, .314; Wilson, St. Louis, .308; J. Smith, Boston, .304; Saier, Chicago, .301. Robertson, New York, has attained the leadership in stolen bases with 17, but Saier still holds the lead in total bases with 143 and in runs scored with 45. Cravath who is in 11th place with .299, leads in home runs with 12. St. Louis, New York and Chicago are tied for the lead in team batting at .277.

Leading pitchers, counting only those who have attained an average of .667 in 15 or more games are: Pierce, Chicago, won 9 and lost 1; Alexander, Philadelphia, 16 and 3; Mamaux, Pittsburgh, 11 and 4; Meadows, St. Louis, 5 and 3.

Ty Cobb, Detroit, once more has established a .400 class in the big leagues. Today's averages show him leading the batters of the American league with .404, setting the pace for base stealers at 51 thefts and in runs scored with 79. Crawford, his team-mate, shares second place with Jackson, Cleveland, at .333; but Crawford leads in total bases at 146. Fournier, Chicago, is fourth with .332. Then come E. Collins, Chicago, .325; Veach, Detroit, .319; Lajoie, Philadelphia, .318; Janvrin, Boston, .318; Speaker, Boston, .315; Strunk, Philadelphia, .311. Three New Yorkers—Boone, Caldwell and Pecklinpaugh—are tied with Oldring, Philadelphia, for home runs with four each. Chicago leads in club batting with 267 and Detroit is next with 264.

Leading pitchers are: Faber, Chicago, won 15 and lost 4; Scott, Chicago, 11 and 3; Foster, Boston, 9 and 4; Dauss, Detroit, 12 and 6; Fisher, New York, 10 and 5.

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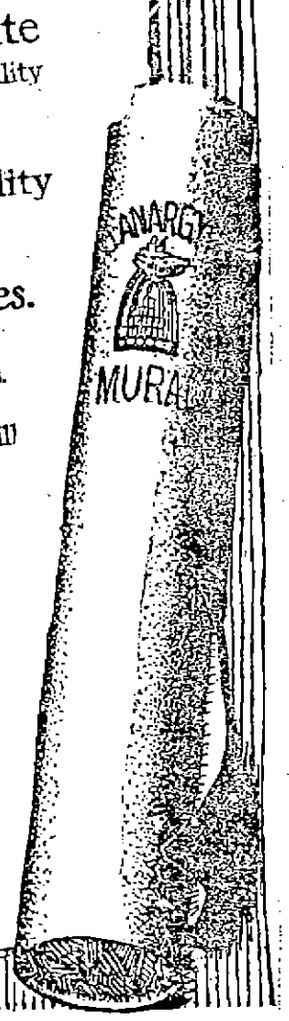

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A REMARKABLE FEAT

FRANK MURPHY, LOCAL SWIMMER, SWIMS RAPIDS AT HUNT'S FALLS

Frank Murphy, the local swimmer, performed a remarkable feat today when he succeeded in swimming the rapids at Hunts falls. Murphy, who on many previous occasions swam from Lowell to Lawrence, after getting out at the falls, announced yesterday that he would attempt to battle through the rapids and tehreby set up a record. Many local men who were a bit skeptical about the task assembled along the river this morning and to their surprise saw the local fin plough through the strong current and continue down the river to Stanley's dance hall.

Murphy went into the water at the Central bridge at 9.07 and started off slowly. As he pulled out of sight he set up a faster pace and continued to increase his speed, passing by McManmon's at 9.35. He went by Belle Grove at 9.15 and reached the finishing point, Stanley's at just 10.15. The time was kept by Mr. Currier of Lawrence, while John W. Daly, followed Murphy from Centralville bridge to the falls, where he saw him break the record by going through the rapids.

Louis Plouff of Lowell acted as trainer for Murphy

DIAMOND DAZZLES

There was more real baseball in yesterday's game than Lowell fans have seen for weeks.

When Kelchner made a big hit with the opposing fans of Lawrence it's the best bet that he'll go big with the fans of the home city.

The new manager certainly "pulled" that victory from the coachlines.

Kelchner is going to make them run bases even if they get caught doing it. And why not? It's the life of the game.

Judgment must be suspended on Fahey once more for he played yesterday like a big leaguer.

Jay Martin, the new man, played right field, and what little he had to do he did well. He was there with one single.

If Stimp was only back we'd be in clover.

A deal was talked of between Lowell and Worcester swapping Barrows for Pownall, but it appears to have been only talk. Cuke doesn't care to leave Lowell, while Pownall is satisfied to remain with Jesse. Pownall headed for Lowell in the beginning, but en route he took a peek at the league standing and finding Lowell in the cellar got a transfer from the conductor and went to Worcester. He may yet be sorry, although one cannot blame a player for being shy about tying up with tail-enders.

The employment of Kelchner as manager of Lowell will have a tendency to make the players in all the teams put forth their best efforts when playing Lowell for the fact remains that Kelchner is also a scout for a big league team and all of the boys have the utmost respect for scouts.

The beauty of Estes' work at first base is enhanced by comparison with the punk work seen earlier in the season.

Old Zeke was right there on the mound and at the bat. He had lots of speed and a nice assortment of the "stuff" that fools the batters.

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GAMES MONDAY

New England League

Lewiston at Lowell.
Worcester at Lawrence.
Fitchburg at Lynn (2.)
Portland at Manchester.

American League

Boston at Detroit.
New York at Cleveland.
Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

National League

St. Louis at Boston.
Cincinnati at New York.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Brooklyn.

Federal League

(Sunday)
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New England League

Lowell, 4; Lawrence, 3.
Lynn, 4; Lewiston 4 (14 innings, called darkness.)
Portland, 5; Fitchbu: . 1.
Worcester, 2; Manche: r, 1.

National League

Boston, 4; St. Louis, 3 (10 innings.)
Brooklyn, 8; Chicago, 7 (10 innings.)
New York, 5; Cincinnati, 3 (first game.)
New York, 4; Cincinnati, 3 (second game.)
Philadelphia, 2; Pittsburgh, 1.

American League

Detroit, 15; Boston, 4.
Chicago, 5; Washington, 1.
Cleveland, 4; New York, 3.
Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 1.

Federal League

Pittsburgh, 4; St. Louis, 2 (first game.)
St. Louis, 6; Pittsburgh, 0 (second game.)
Buffalo, 8; Brooklyn, 2 (first game.)
Buffalo, 9; Brooklyn, 1 (second game.)

LEAGUE STANDINGS

N. E. League	Won	Lost	1915 P. C.	1914 P. C.
Lawrence	37	19	.661	.603
Portland	33	20	.623	.554
Worcester	32	24	.571	.625
Manchester	28	30	.483	....
Lynn	25	30	.455	.509
Lewiston	23	30	.434	.456
Fitchburg	23	34	.404	.295
Lowell	20	34	.370	.508

National League			1915	1914
Chicago	40	30	.571	.541
Philadelphia	37	31	.544	.485
St. Louis	38	36	.514	.520
Pittsburgh	35	35	.500	.464
Brooklyn	35	35	.500	.471
New York	31	35	.470	.594
Cincinnati	30	36	.455	.493
Boston	31	39	.443	.420

American League	Won	Lost	1915 P. C.	1914 P. C.
Chicago	48	26	.649	.554
Boston	43	25	.632	.506
Detroit	45	28	.618	.557
New York	36	37	.493	.371
Washington	32	37	.464	.533
Philadelphia	28	44	.389	.587
Cleveland	28	43	.377	.342
St. Louis	26	44	.371	.532

Federal League			1915	1914
St. Louis	42	30	.583	.419
Kansas City	43	31	.581	.453
Chicago	42	31	.575	.606
Pittsburgh	40	32	.556	.426
Newark	39	35	.527	*.551
Brooklyn	31	44	.413	.500
Buffalo	31	46	.403	.537
Baltimore	27	46	.370	.507

*—Indianapolis last year.

OUTINGS HELD TODAY

Chelmsford Centre People Went to Bass Point This Afternoon—Dracut Church at Mountain Rock

Today is an off day for outings as compared with last Saturday when a number of parish and society outings were held.

One special car in charge of Conductor Erickson and Motorman Lussiers left the square shortly after 8 o'clock for Bass Point. The car was loaded with residents of Chelmsford Centre, and they had a great time disporting in the briny shortly after the arrival. A shore dinner was served at noon and in the afternoon a program of sports was run off and the attractions along the beach were enjoyed.

Mountain Rock was the objective point of several hundred members of the Dracut Congregational church today, the members making the trip to the grove in special cars. During the morning a program of sports was run off and at noon a dinner was served.

Local Representative Wanted

To sell direct to consumer a new and profitable line of Westfield Endorsed Pure Foods, also a line of Household Utilities. We require a representative of proven selling ability in every town. Write for details and an appointment for a personal interview. THE ALDEN SPEARE'S SONS CO., 150 6th St., Cambridge "C", Boston, Mass.

KELCHNER MADE DEBUT

New Manager Pulled a Victory for Lowell from the Coach Line —Fast Game at Lawrence

"Who's that Hughie Jennings guy on the third base lines?" yelled a Lawrence fan when a little gray-haired man in a Lowell uniform started to cut up like a colt, while the players responded by playing ball like winners and pulling a victory out of the hole by a Garrison finish in the closing inning.

The Hughie Jennings guy was Manager Kelchner, who was making his debut and the debut certainly was auspicious for it was Kelchner who won the game successfully aided and abetted by the members of the Lowell team. Kelchner played as hard as any of the boys although he never went to the bat and he inspired the team with courage and determination at a time when they needed it. He pulled hard for a win and got it.

Manager Kelchner was on the coaching lines in every inning and was there with the goods. He supplied a long-felt want in Lowell's make-up in that respect. Some of the fans thought he showed poor judgment in sending two of the runners home from second on hits to a short left field but he assumed that he had fast men and was right in his judgment even if the players were caught at the play.

It was a fine game to look at and the nature of its finish made it all the more satisfactory to the Lowell fans, of whom some 200 went down and took a chance with a big thunder shower on the return trip. It was Ladies' day and the fair sex turned out in large numbers. It would have been a most disappointing day for them had it not been for Manager Kelchner's cut-ups on the coach lines which gave them plenty of amusement for the wind-up took away all the pleasure of the day for them.

The game furnished a few surprises. Howard Fahey, for instance, came across with big league stuff after being generally knocked as too slow for the initial bag. Things came Howard's way in sizzling bunches and he met them with a major. He knocked down a grounder back of third base which while he couldn't head off the runner was a magnificent fielding stunt. On first base, too, Estes was there with the real goods and his one-hand knock-out of what would have been a two-sacker was one of the best fielding stunts that the Lawrence fans have laid eyes on this season.

Zeke Lohman on the mound for Lowell, came across with lightning-like speed and something on the ball, most of the time while at the bat he made himself known. Zeke was in fine form. The game was sharply played and fast and seven innings had been covered in an hour. There was nothing doing in the run-getting line until the fifth when Cuke Barrows lifted the ball over the centre field fence for a homer. For a moment that one run looked awfully big on the score board, but only for a moment, for the home team came in for the sixth and made it appear quite small by walloping out three runs. Of course Bill Luyster started it all with a pretty single. Then O'Connell bunted along the first base line and both Lohman and Estes chased for the ball while Bennie Bowcock was making a bet with himself as to who would get it totally unmindful of the fact that his services were required at the first stopping place. When O'Connell reached first there was no one there to receive either him or the ball and hence there were two on base. Along comes Mahoney with a stingy little bunt in front of the plate and Lohman in his anxiety to get it, let it drop out, but recovered it and threw, but Mahoney was there ahead of the ball and the bases were crowded. Bing, goes Jake Warner's bat against the pill and the latter hikes to centre field for a single and two runs scored.

Thompson bunted to Fahey for a sacrifice and there were men on second and third and only one out. Then Zeke tightened up and Ostregren and Flaherty sent grounders to Fahey which Howard despatched to first and the inning was over.

It then went along with Lowell failing to boost that lone tally on the score board and when they came in for the first of the ninth a few who didn't realize that the game is never over until the ground-keeper takes in the bags, started to leave. Swayne hit the right for a clean single. Fahey hit to Mahoney who kindly put the boots to the unoffending sphere, and Howard got first. Estes bunted to Conley and got there ahead of the throw and we had three on the bases, all that they would conveniently hold. Bowcock accommodatingly flied to Thompson and Swayne scored, and we needed only one run to tie. Barrows was there with a single to centre and Fahey came in with the tieing run. Shorty Dee, not to be outdone, sent the ball to right centre for two bases and Estes came across with what proved to be the winning run. Lawrence couldn't come back in the final session notwithstanding the fact that Pearson went to bat.

The score:

LOWELL

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Swayne lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Fahey 3b	4	1	0	1	6	0
Estes 1b	4	1	1	15	0	0
Bowcock 2b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Barrows cf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Dee ss	4	0	1	4	5	0
Ahearn c	3	0	1	3	1	0
Martin rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Lohman p	3	0	2	0	2	1
Totals	32	4	9	27	16	1

LAWRENCE

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Luyster rf	3	1	2	2	1	0
O'Connell cf	4	2	2	3	0	0
Mahoney 3b	3	0	0	3	3	2
Warner 2b	3	0	2	2	3	0
Thompson lf	3	0	0	1	2	0
Ostergren 1b	3	0	0	11	0	0
Flaherty c	3	0	0	5	1	0
Conley 3b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Barron p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Pearson x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	3	6	27	14	2

x—Batted for Conley in the 9th.

Lowell	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	—4
Lawrence	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	—3

Two base hit, O'Connell. Home run, Barrows. Stolen base, O'Connell. Sacrifice hits, Martin, Ahearn, Bowcock, Mahoney, Thompson, Warner. Double play, Dee and Estes. Left on bases, Lowell 4, Lawrence 5. First base on errors, Lowell 2, Lawrence 1. Bases on balls, off Lohman 2. Hit by pitcher, Ostergren. Struck out, by Lohman 3. Umpire, Keeler. Time, 1.25.

CUT BY BIG SAW

Man Had Narrow Escape From Death in Lumber Mill

B. Frunka, an employe of William P. Proctor & Co., lumber manufacturers, sustained a deep wound across the back as a result of running against a cutting off saw at the North Chelmsford plant about 9.30 o'clock this morning. The saw inflicted a diagonal cut across the man's back just above the hips, but fortunately did not touch the backbone, and the injured man had a fortunate escape from fatal injury. Dr. H. C. Gage was called and after examining the man, ordered him taken to the Corporation hospital for treatment. He was taken from the plant to the hospital in the ambulance. Frunka is 20 years of age and has been employed at the plant for two years.

LAWRENCE AIDS LOWELL

DOWN RIVER CITY PROVIDES FOR OUR TUBERCULOSIS PATIENTS UNDER AGREEMENT

Pending the erection of a contagious hospital in this city, and the present city government doesn't seem to be making very much progress towards the erection of one, Lowell tubercular patients will be cared for in Lawrence. Alderman Maloney, director of the department of health and charities in Lawrence, has entered into an arrangement with the Lowell authorities to care for any Lowell patients ordered to the Lawrence hospital. Two Lowell patients have already entered the Lawrence sanatorium.

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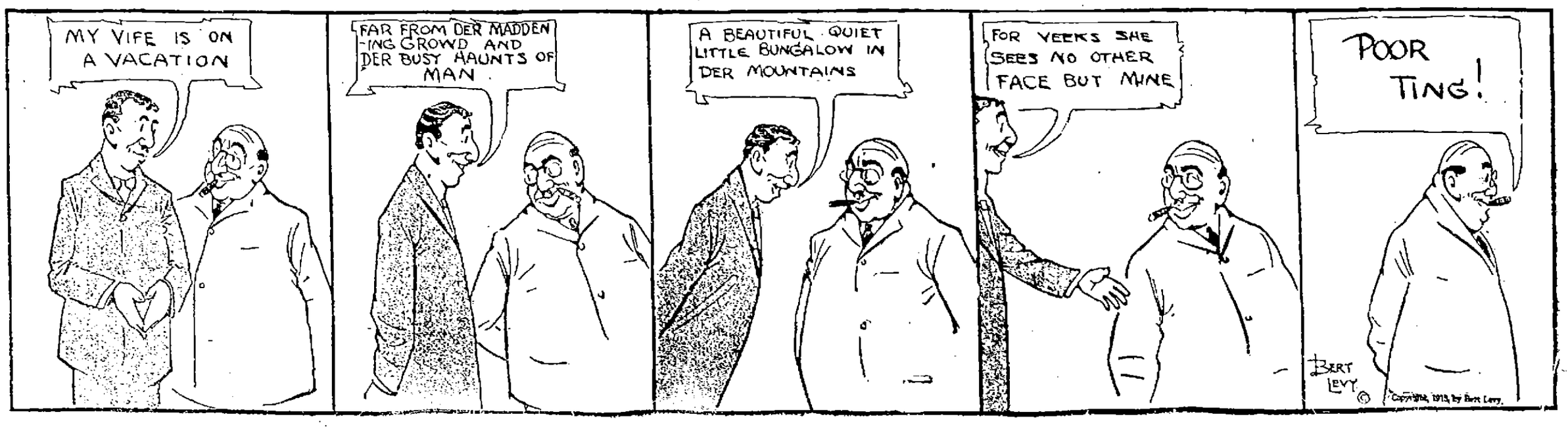

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BOSTON'S FIRE PERILS

The earnestness and intelligence which Boston is displaying in the correction of its fire perils and insanitary abuses are arousing the attention and admiration of all New England. A code of building and fire laws adopted a little over a year ago has been enforced consistently by the commissioners, and the Boston public realizes that such laws must be respected to the letter. As no subject is of more pertinent interest to all communities at the present time than the elimination of fire perils and the curtailment of unsanitary conditions, Boston's example is an eloquent object lesson to Lowell and neighboring cities.

During the past year about 700 buildings in the city of Boston have been razed or rebuilt. Their construction or their degree of deterioration made them a fire menace and unfit for human habitation, and the city would not tolerate the risk Many of them have been large tenement properties which brought heavy rentals to their owners, but after a thorough inspection and investigation by the proper authorities, a conference was held with the owners and residents and the buildings were ordered demolished. This is a remarkable record of achievement, but it is still more remarkable that it has been done with a minimum of friction. In practically all instances, the firm insistence of the city has been followed by the unhesitating compliance of the owner. As a result, Boston is a far safer city than it was a year ago.

The indirect influence of such a campaign as this is even greater than that directly achieved. To be sure there are 700 less dangerous buildings, but the good does not stop there. Without doubt many property owners, seeing that the city authorities were in earnest, have voluntarily done what the law could compel, and thus automatically reform has widened and increased. Those who contemplated new buildings during this period must also have been impressed with the necessity for making them conform to the standard, and in many ways Boston has been benefitted.

Owing to the type of our population and the deterioration of great tenement buildings that were erected for revenue only, we too have a great problem on our hands to make Lowell a safer and a healthier city. It is doubtful if we could enforce the laws as rigorously as Boston, in proportion, but if the fire menace is to be checked effectually, the city will have to demand prompt and full compliance with its regulations. Our building department also has shown unusual zeal in demanding a correction of abuses, and the city as a whole will back up activity of this nature. The condition of property is no longer regarded as a private matter for which the owner or resident is responsible to himself only. There is an attempt in some large cities to hold property owners responsible for fires which start in buildings not up to the standard and spread to neighboring buildings, and everywhere is the spirit which is so well exemplified in Boston.

ORNAMENTAL LIGHTS

The refreshing and versatile George Fitch has something to say of "ornamental lights" which ought to interest Lowell, one of the most recent additions to the list of white way cities. Here are a few of the Fitch sentences:

Ornamental lights form a good way of feeling the pulse of an American town. If a town has large quantities of cluster lights on its business streets, its pulse is strong and healthy and it has a Commercial club which would as soon grab a factory away from some other town as eat a piece of pie.

If, however, a town is filled with dark canyons at night, with overworked electric lights trying to excavate holes in the blackness at the street corners, it is usually in a comatose condition, and the secretary of the Commercial club is working overtime to collect enough dues to pay his salary.

If, as he says, the ornamental lights form a good way of feeling the pulse of an American town, this town is in pretty fair condition, but lights alone without the proper civic spirit will avail little. They indicate progress only insofar as they reflect the desire of a municipality to have the best of everything that is going, irrespective of cost or the sacrifices necessary in the process.

We have the lights and we have the thriving "commercial club," but we do not get all the factories that are our due, no matter how vehement our desire may be to win out over other communities. Probably we shall do better if we advertise our advantages a little more, and so make Lowell look attractive to prospective manufacturers and residents. In spite of very unenviable management of our public affairs and a lack of the proper cooperation between all concerned, Lowell has really made some strides forward, and we have many advantages to offer those who may be looking this way, some of which nullify, if they do not entirely hide, the obvious disadvantages.

At the present time ornamental lights are all the vogue. Most of the great cities have white ways and those which have not are agitating them. In a little while there will be an agitation for something else, and another wave of municipal reform will sweep over the city. Whether we will keep in the forefront will depend in great measure on the result of the ornamental lighting system. If it proves an advantage, worth what we have paid for it and up to its appearance, we will be as ready for the next municipal improvement as any other progressive city in the country.

BIRD DECLINES

In a letter to the chairman of his party, Charles Sumner Bird has definitely stated that he will not be a candidate for governor, and a crop of wild rumors has been laid at rest. A considerable following in his own party and many of the republican opportunists saw a good opportunity for plausible amalgamation under the Bird banner, but the lure of the name was not sufficient to bring the erstwhile leader out of his shady retreat. In the letter of declination, Mr. Bird does not give any indication of his personal wishes, and he makes no reference whatever to the party which honored him with two nominations. It is, therefore probable that the progressive who is wavering in his faith in the Bull Moose will not find a steadying influence in the word or example of Mr. Bird. Many sincere progressives will certainly regret the decision of their popular standard-bearer, for the personal popularity of Mr. Bird has never been questioned. He has the loyalty of his own party to a man and the respect of all parties. Few men in the public gaze in this state at the present time could claim a more hearty call than that accorded the progressive champion, and his refusal to be exploited this time will precipitate many perplexing questions.

Mr. Bird may not follow the example of Matthew Hale in declaring for the democratic party as a choice between the two old parties, but he cannot well throw in his lot with the republicans. Since Mr. Bird expounded so warmly and sincerely against standpatism, there has been no change in the personnel or policies of the republican party in this state, and the same conditions exist against which Mr. Bird led the progressive forces. Probably the retiring leader will still hold true to the principles he preached and practiced, but if he should desire to return to one of the old parties, his logical place is with the democratic party which has striven openly and honestly to fulfill every pledge for progress made to the American public.

ROADS AND SPEED

An autoist who was brought before the court at Nahant a few days ago for speeding made a rather novel plea which is not without its lesson. The gentleman hailed from Virginia where the roads are pretty poor, and he was so elated at the sensation of spinning along over the smooth and well-kept roads of Massachusetts that the exhilaration drove him to excess and so into the police court. He very graciously declared that the Bay State roads formed for him a temptation to speed too strong to be resisted and cheerfully paid a $5 fine. Judge Southwick apparently felt that his appreciation of Massachusetts roads should be shown in a less demonstrative manner, nevertheless the compliment is rather flattering.

Our Virginia visitor was right in affording the palm to Massachusetts roads. In a great road conference held in the west a few months ago, Col. Sohier of the state highway commission made the boast that our roads lead the country, and with the systematic improvements going on consistently, we shall make great strides forward in the near future. The state is unusually busy with the roads of this vicinity alone, but the same is true of all sections. It has been so conclusively proved that good roads are essential to the development of a section that now all interests agitate them. Farmers, tourists, property owners, real estate dealers all same in demanding that this state set a new road standard for the entire country.

What is true of the state is true of the city. After city betting nothing more immediately impresses the visitor than the condition of the streets and highways. The S.u has for the past few years advocated many road reforms, and it is satisfactory to see that most of them are now in a fair way of adoption. The fate of the Rogers street approach, the improvement of the Billerica road and the probable construction of a new link down the river next season are a few of the road improvements needed to bear out the claim of the speeder from Virginia in this vicinity. While we do not care to incite speed, better that our roads would so affect the visitor than that he should be sunk in mental and physical depressions.

RUSSIAN CAMPAIGN

While the Russian armies are intact, Russia is not suffering a decisive defeat, and the supposed triumph of Germany may at any moment be turned into a costly failure. When Von Hindenburg in the early stages of the war drove the Russian troops into the marches of Lithuania, Berlin spoke of a decisive defeat of Russia, but the troops of the czar soon reorganized and fought two similar campaigns. It now looks as though the third German attempt on Warsaw will fail, and with increased ammunition. Russia may turn on its enemy and force a counter retreat with heavy losses to Von Mackensen's armies. Experts say that Germany is striving to break the Russian army in two, so as to annihilate one division, but the Russians seem to be successfully resisting. When Germany goes so far into Russian territory that her strategic railways are behind, a Russian retreat may easily prove a trap. It does not look now that Germany will take Warsaw or will be able to withdraw many troops for service in France and Belgium, as she had intended.

THE GREAT RAIN

The popular memory which is generally relied on for weather reminiscences cannot recall a July in this section of the country that saw more rain than we have had since July 1. In five days, eight inches of rain have fallen here and the Merrimack river is almost up to its spring proportions. This condition is true of almost the entire Merrimack valley, where the conditions have been unprecedented. Still there has not been too much rain, though it played havoc with the summer resorts and automatically stopped some vacations. May and June were dry months and vegetation had suffered severely. It looked as though nature has regretted her parsimony and resolved to give us the belated spring rains in ten-fold measure. The steady downpour, day and night, has worked wonders for vegetation and its effects can be noted in the emerald of the lawns and the fresh verdure of shrub and tree. The beneficial effect of the great July rains will be seen still more in the greater glory of the autumn.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

COMING PENSIONS

The Canadian government is already paying pensions to widows and children of dead soldiers. Another of the huge burdens the fighting nations must assume if they are to be in any degree fair to the men who are doing the fighting and the dying.—Brockton Enterprise.

A LONE CRANK

The London Standard sees in the attempted assassination of J. P. Morgan a *prima facie* case of a blackhand German conspiracy to which the German embassy at Washington was directly or indirectly privy. The Standard's vision is slightly distorted if it discerns in this particular instance any evidence to support such a theory. It is apparent that this was an unmistakable case of "bugs"—the irrational act of a crank who took no one into his confidence and who was without confederates nor inspired or instigated by others to commit his crazy deeds.—Fall River Globe.

NOW 'TIS AUGUST

Gen. Joffre is now quoted as saying that there will be a forceful advance of the allies against the German lines in August. It looks is if Joffre is figuring on giving Kitchener ample time to finish up with the great spring drive, which was to have begun in May.—Springfield Union.

OPTIMISTIC

Instead of lists of casualties, especially the heavy losses on the other side, we have today reached the point where Germany is trying to find a proposition to present to the United States that can become the basis for agreement, for mutual good offices, for continued peace and good will between these two of the three greatest industrial and commercial nations.—Lewiston Sun.

DIFFERENT BRANDS

The fact that automobiles killed and wounded more people in and about New York on July 4 than pistols and firecrackers did, leads the New York Tribune to conclude "we are certainly getting more civilized." Unfortunately there are different brands of civilization.—Burlington Free Press.

PASSENGERS FRIGHTENED

Miss Mulcahy Taken to Hospital After Short Circuit on Elevated Train at Beach Street Station

BOSTON, July 10.—As a four-car elevated train, bound for Sullivan square was leaving the Beach street station at 10.10 last night, there was a short circuit on the second car. The flash alarmed the passengers, of whom there were about 25. More frightened than the others was Mary Mulcahey of 375 Revere street, Winthrop, who was removed to the Relief hospital.

The train was brought back to Beach street, the passengers discharged and the train proceeded to the Sullivan square terminal. There was a delay of 10 minutes to traffic. Miss Mulcahey was found to be suffering from hysteria at the Relief hospital.

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WHAT HORTENSE TOLD ME

The prevailing state of mind, or character of thought, shapes the body and features. It makes us ugly or pleasant, or attractive or repulsive to others. Our thoughts shape our gestures, our mannerisms, our walk. The least movement of muscle has a mood of mind, a thought behind it. A mind, always determined, always has a determined walk.

A mind always weak, shifting, vacillating and uncertain makes a shuffling, shambling, uncertain gait. The spirit of determination braces every muscle. If you send from you in thought the elements of worry, fret, hatred, or grief, you are putting in action forces injurious to your mind and body. Look at the discontented, gloomy man or woman, and you see in their faces proof of the action of this silent force of their unpleasant thought, cutting, carving and shaping them to their present expression.

Most of us are aware of how invaluable pumice stone is for removing stains from the fingers, which stains, of course, make impossible beautiful hands, says Hortense. Wet both hands and the pumice stone thoroughly, and then rub gently until the stain has disappeared. For taking off the little black line that comes on the edges of your nails, it is equally useful if used as a file.

If the skin is rough and irritated by heat, try the oatmeal bath. Make a number of cheesecloth bags, four inches square, and fill them loosely with the following mixture: Five pounds of oatmeal, one pound of Florentine orris root powdered, one pound of almond meal, half a pound of castile soap scraped fine. This makes a large quantity but is cheapest when made in these proportions. One of these bags thrown into the warm plunge bath is most comforting and makes the skin soft and white.

Every woman likes to have a dainty, elusive perfume on one's hair, says Hortense. Shaking it into the hair is all right, but the best way is to make a close fitting cap lined with the sachet you like best. The cap should be lined with a thin silk, between which is sprinkled a liberal quantity of sachet.

The cap may be of any thin silk and is shaped like a close fitting Dutch cap with short ties. A flat bow, at the ends doubled under and scented with sachet and finished with a double bow, gives a nice appearance.

It is impossible to arrange the hair attractively if it is dry and split on the ends. There is no reason for this dry hair if you will practice the following treatment: Several times a week rub on your scalp a little castor oil. If you wish to make the odor of the oil more pleasant, have the druggist add oil of lavender to it. Do not fail to massage the scalp and brush the hair daily, if you wish to restore it to a healthy condition.

To improve the texture and color of the skin of the arms, says Hortense, give them a bath every day in water and pure mild soap. You can do this when you wash your face or take your bath in the morning, or later, just as you prefer. Use a complexion brush for the purpose, scrubbing them well and then rinsing thoroughly. If the skin is that ugly red shade one sometimes sees in young girls or in women whose complexions are rather florid, a lemon and glycerine bleach should be used. Rub a little glycerine over the skin and then rub over it immediately a cut lemon.

For whitening the hands there is nothing better than almond meal or oatmeal. Reduce either one to a fine powder, put it in a little white muslin bag and rub the bag over the hands while they are wet. Or the meal can be used dry and dusted over the hands after they have been dried.

Hortense holds that the daily use of rouge is apt eventually to make the skin look sallow. Girls of 19 or 20 should not require rouge, and it is best to use it only in the evening. At all times great care should be exercised to apply it carefully. Blend the edges and carry it well back to the ears, then a slight touch on the tip of the chin and if this makes the lips look pale tint the lips also. Take a pointed stick, cover the end with absorbent cotton, dip in the rouge and touch the lips very carefully, avoiding going beyond the neutral line of red.

Don't strive to cover up blemishes with paint and powder, but take good care of your general health, your teeth and hair. Have your face treated by an expert weekly and you can keep the skin soft, clear and unlined for many years.

It is not well to bathe the face in very cold water when you are overheated, says Hortense. Water just from the faucet with a little good toilet water or alcohol is better. Alawnys remove all powder before retiring and give the pores a chance to breathe, then powder, if it is a good brand, will not injure the skin.

Women who carry the head correctly avoid the ugly, sagging, stringy pouch and will not acquire a double chin unless they become very stout. Always hold the chin well up when walking, reading or sewing; never drop the chin on the chest. A daily cold chin bath will also help to keep it firm.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

Mr. Gunther's House in Dracut Struck By Bolt But Not Seriously Damaged

The home of Chief Frank H. Gunther of the Dracut fire department located in Sladen street was struck by a bolt of lightning late yesterday afternoon, but unfortunately none of the occupants of the house was injured.

The bolt entered a room occupied as an office and tore considerable plaster off the wall, while things in the apartment were scattered all over the floor. Several telephone and fire alarm wires were put out of commission by the storm.

ST. COLUMBA'S PARISH

Baby Show Will Be Feature of Garden Party Next Wednesday Afternoon

A baby show will be the feature of the Wednesday afternoon program of St. Columba's parish garden party and already a large number of mothers have signified their intentions of entering their little ones. The winners will be awarded suitable prizes and there is great rivalry to see who will take the money. The baby show is only one of a great many attractions which will provide amusement for all who attend.

The party will continue on Wednesday evening and Thursday afternoon and evening with special attractions at each session. There will be the usual midway with all the "greatest o earth" novelties and indications poin to a record attendance on both days The affair is in charge of a capabl committee and all members are work ing zealously for its success.

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SUN REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

APPLETON STOREHOUSE

Ground Broken on Jackson Street For Ten Story Structure—Other Operations

Judging from the noticeable drop in the number of permits issued at city hall the week of the holidays was a comparatively quiet one in building circles. Several new dwellings are being constructed and there are many enlarging, remodelling and repairing jobs in progress at the present time.

Among the most important of all the building operations in the city at present is the construction of the new 10-story warehouse of the Appleton Manufacturing company. A large force of men has been constantly at work clearing and breaking the ground in Jackson street where the new structure will be situated. The warehouse when completed will be an imposing affair, besides being in every way up to date and equipped with the latest apparatus. It will have a large ell on the side and rear. Elevators will be installed and the shafts fireproofed. The entire building, it is stated, will be absolutely fireproof.

On the property at 181 Chelmsford street, owned by the heirs of E. Sheldon and leased by John T. Brennan, a storage shed will be constructed. The material will be wood, and the cost of building is placed at $75.

George Haithwaite is building a new residence at 37 Georgia avenue. Mr. Haithwaite's new house will have eight rooms, pantry and bath. The building will be of wood with a stone foundation and will be heated by steam. Its measurements are to be 28½ feet by 29 feet, and it will have an ell 18½ by 6. The house will cost in the vicinity of $2500.

A new garage of concrete block and concrete foundation is to be built for Adele Begin at 114 Ford street. It will be 20 by 30 feet, fireproof, and will cost $200.

Joseph Gargan has received a permit from the city authorities to have constructed a foundation for a dwelling 19 by 29 feet. The foundation will be of stone and will cost approximately $100, according to the estimate.

Melvina A. Roby will erect a new dwelling of one apartment at 374 Pine street. This new house will have seven rooms, pantry, bath, sewing room and a spacious sleeping porch. It will be 32 by 29 feet, will be heated by steam apparatus and the cost is estimated at $2500.

The doors in the First Free Baptist church in Paige street will be replaced by new ones and a permit for this work has been received from the building department at city hall. The new doors will be of the swinging variety, having panelled sides and plate glass fronts. They will be erected at a cost of $100.

Mrs. Thomas Stott of 209 Nesmith street is having her garage enlarged by an addition. The floor will be lowered a considerable distance and constructed of concrete. The addition will adjoin the front of the present structure.

The one-apartment dwelling at 682 School street, the property of Anna Tucke, will be enlarged into a two-tenement house. Additions and interior and exterior alterations will be made on the property. The addition will adjoin the side and rear of the present property and a two-story piazza will be erected. On the interior new fixtures in baths and toilets will be installed, partitions removed and other repairs made. The expense is estimated at $450.

PREVENTABLE FIRE WASTE

When you are building your home, build to avoid fire risks. See how your flues are actually built. A vitrified tile flue lining from the basement through the roof will make trouble from defective flues less probable. A flue lining has its advantages, for a brick chimney with a tile lining does not require as much space as a solid brick chimney wall. With the best laid brick work, a settlement of the wall is likely to open a crack in the brick work and expose surrounding work. It has been estimated that 13 per cent. of the total number of fires in this country are attributed to defective flues. No timber work of a house should come within an inch of the flue proper. All floors and walls should be framed around the chimney with at least an inch of space between. A brick arch should be turned under the hearth of a fireplace, so that no wood shall come within 20 inches of an open fire.

If a frame house is built, as is often the case so that the studding is open from the basement wall to the plate at the roof, each section of studding forms a flue which would be likely to "draw" in case a fire should start under it. Fire "stops" at each floor make a good construction, and prevent rats and mice from having a free run in the walls, as well.

Electric wiring is supposed to be the cause of innumerable fires. When live wires have only their own insulation between them and combustible material, a short circuit or a flash of lightning is likely to make trouble. All electric wiring should be placed in non-conducting tubes and if properly done will not be the cause of fire.

Is there a bunch of shavings, old papers, dried grass or leaves, piled up against your barn where a tramp might happen to throw a match after he had lighted his pipe? If you leave it there, do not blame the tramp when the barn burns.

Your property is fully insured against fire and perhaps you do not fear any loss from that cause. How much premium do you pay annually? The amount is a tax which the fire fiend collects from you to pay for your neighbor's carelessness and to replace the vast actual waste each year from the material and the labor goes up in smoke.

The most appalling thing about it is that much of this waste is preventable, and yet continues from year to year.—Keith's Magazine.

A FIREPLACE NOOK

There is architectural value in the fireplace nook. It possesses many attractive features and offers many comforts. It is an alluring invitation to all who enter the room.

Recently it was suggested that a more inviting and home-like appearance could be imparted to a room by building a nook with furniture, evidence that already the home lover feels the need of this semi-private retreat.

It carries with it a suggestion of intimate companionship that can be imparted to a room in no other way. It is an attraction that may be added to city, suburban or country home at very low cost and is one that pays.

Scene: A cold winter evening, a comfortable chair, a subdued light, a good story, a good cigar, perhaps a cigaret or box of chocolates.

A living room provided with a well designed fireplace nook is half furnished. Viewed from that angle it would prove an economy rather than an expense. It provides seats, lounge, davenport, bookcases, catch-alls, wood boxes and other conveniences, and, best of all, it gives all who enter the room a sense of satisfaction in having found one place that is all the heart can desire.

TO AVOID DINGY STUCCO

Critical examination shows that stucco is a more or less porous material which, in smoky atmospheres sometimes absorbs the soot-laden water with which it is brought into contact. During a rainy season considerable soot is carried into the pores and the color of the stucco becomes perceptibly darker. It has been found that this pore-filling process only lasts two or three years, however, at the end of which time the pores of the stucco were completely filled or clogged with the soot.

The natural action thus observed suggests a method for overcoming this difficulty. Fill the pores with a white or colorless waterproof substance before the natural process has had time in which to fill them with soot and dirt.

There are two ways by which this result may be accomplished. At the time the stucco is being mixed a small quantity of a reliable integral waterproofing should be added to the water used in the process of mixing. Only a small quantity need be used and the cost should not exceed 1½ cents per square foot, or about $35 for an ordinary eight-room residence. The integral paste or powder is carried into the pores and it is found that the stucco so treated is permanently waterproof and stainproof.

The second method is used to waterproof and stainproof after the completion of the building. It sometimes happens that the builder does not learn of the integral method until it is too late to use it, and in this case a colorless waterproofing method supplies the omission. It is a wonderfully simple process, inexpensive and practically as efficient as the integral method. The surface may be brushed with two coats of a colorless waterproofing, the liquid enters the pores and there deposits a clear, colorless, water-resistant substance which effectively protects it from rain and smoke.—Keith's Magazine.

THE TEA COSEY

The tea cosey is as essential to English housekeeping as the tea pot, and is often extremely ornamental, of handsome brocade heavily embroidered in silk. Sometimes the cosey is plainly covered with silk or satin and is fitted with a detachable cover of embroidered linen or lace, which can be removed when it becomes soiled.

With ourselves the tea habit is not so general, and the cosey is conspicuously absent, but it serves a useful purpose at the piazza supper. It may be of any of a number of shapes, the best being a half oval. Another sort is much like a bishop's mitre, being made of four sections curving to a point at the top, the seams defined with a cord. The cosey should be large enough to cover the tea pot easily, and be generously wadded, or else filled with down, and the lining should be of thin silk matching the outside.

In color it should either harmonize with the china, or be of the same general color as the dining room walls. A very serviceable cosey can be made of velveteen, olive, gray blue, or rose red, embroidered with a large initial, in crewels heavily padded.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending July 10

LOWELL

David A. McCarthy et al. to Christos Chopelas, land and buildings on Cross street.

Florence D. Marshall et al. to Charles W. Holmes, land on Varnum avenue.

H. Joseph Lambert et ux. to M. Elizabeth Whitney, land and buildings corner Cumberland road and Fisher street.

M. Elizabeth Whitney to John R. Peacock, land and buildings corner Cumberland road and Fisher street.

Maria E. Smith et al. to Maria C. Hartigan, land on Foster street.

Charles I. Hood et ux. to Ellen T. Donohue, land on Frothingham street.

Dennis E. Connors et al. to City Iron Foundry, land on Montreal and Plain streets.

Mary Riordan to Moise Soulnier et ux., land and buildings on Woodward avenue.

Arthur W. Huguley et ux. to Edwin P. Littlehale, land corner Middlesex street and Putnam avenue.

Warren Land Trust Co., by trs. to Maria N. Grinnell, land at Lawn Hill.

Joseph Gregoire to Catherine L. Gregoire, land and buildings on Moody street.

Catherine L. Gregoire et al., to Arvila Sawyer, land and buildings on Moody street.

William H. Fagan et ux. to James M. Fagan, land and buildings on Newhall street.

Margaret Flaherty to Frank Krojewski et ux., land corner West L and Fulton streets.

George D. Kimball to Maude A. Hosford, land on Dartmouth street.

Charles H. McEvoy, et ux. to Manuel J. Avila, land and buildings on Charles street.

Mary A. B. Murphy et al. to Henry J. O'Dowd, land and buildings on Methuen street.

Frank H. Miles et ux. to Ellen M. Peard, land corner Bridge and West Ninth streets.

Thomas Doyle to Martha H. Gilmore, land on Walnut street.

Jean B. Morin et ux. by mtgee. to Israel Levin, land corner Moody and Austin streets.

George M. Reed to William B. Moffatt, land on Daniels street.

Joseph Gregoire to Catherine L. Gregoire, land on Jefferson street.

Catherine L. Gregoire to Demitrios Anastasiw, land on Jefferson street.

BILLERICA

Edward J. Purcell et ux. to John S. Ash, land and buildings at Nuttings Lake Park Annex.

Herbert A. King et ux. to A. Warren Stearns, land and buildings on Andover road.

CARLISLE

Sidney A. Davis et ux. to George H. Baker, land on River road to Concord.

DRACUT

Fred C. Tobey Land Co., by tr., to Amy Secord, land at Collins Park.

George Seltzam et al., by mtgee's exor., to William E. Newton, land and buildings at Kenwood.

Joseph Migneault to William R. Folsom, land on Percy street.

Charles J. Drendel est., by admr., to Paul R. Merrill, land and buildings on Swain street.

TEWKSBURY

Grace V. Nickerson to Sarah E. Shine, land on Bond and South streets and Lakeview avenue.

TYNGSBORO

Ella A. Matthews et al., to Fred A. Coburn, land cor. Bryant's Lane and road to Dunstable.

WILMINGTON

Edward S. Eaton et ux. to Arminio Nigri, land on Pratt street.

Edward S. Eaton et ux., to Charles H. Burnett, land on Smith street.

Algernon Weymouth to Cyril E. Gosse, land on Shawsheen avenue.

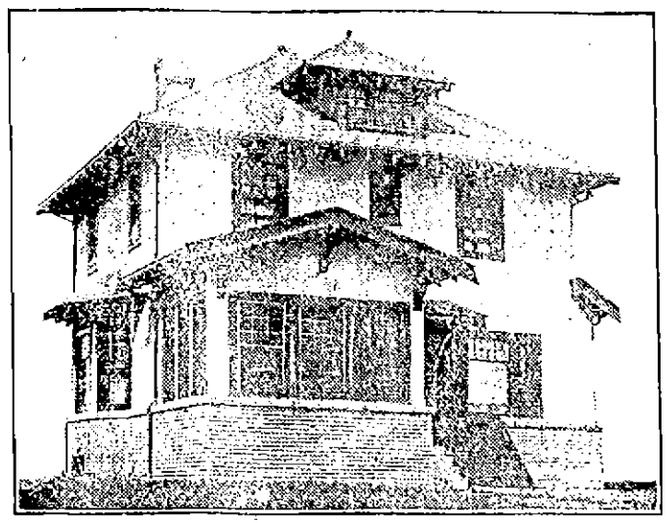
True H. Files et ux., to Michael P. Geary, land at Oakland Park.

James E. Burke, tr., to Annie E. Walsnor, land at Wilmington Gardens.

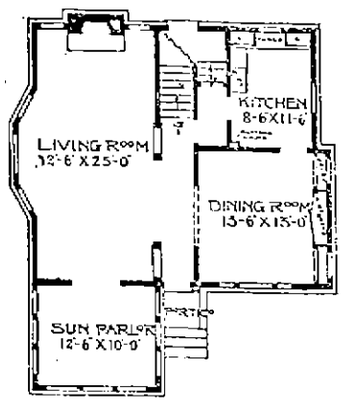
James E. Burke tr., to George Wilson, land at Wilmington Gardens.

James T. Maguire to Michael J. Gilligan, land on Main and Cottage streets and Grove avenue.

Brick Veneer and Rough Cast



PERSPECTIVE VIEW—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

A very striking exterior, with brick veneer carried up to the height of the first story window sills, and the rough cast made of pure white, with cornice, rafter ends and window frames stained brown, and a moss green stain for the shingles on the roof. The brick would be a dark red, thus giving a very pleasing combination. Large living-room running across the entire side, and a sun room in front, closed off with French doors. Dining room, with built-in sideboard and china closets, with high windows above same. Three chambers in the second story, and good closet space. Size 30 feet wide and 26 feet deep, over the main part. Full basement, 7 feet high. First story, 9 feet; second story, 8 feet. Finish, red oak or birch throughout first and second stories. Birch or maple floors throughout. Cost to build, exclusive of heating and plumbing, $3,200.

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JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER.

John D. Rockefeller's employes at his Forest Hill (Cleveland) estate are taking every precaution to protect Mr. Rockefeller when he goes to Cleveland on his summer visit. The heavy iron and wire fence which surrounds part of the estate in East Cleveland has been strengthened, and rows of barbed wire have been placed along the top. More barbed wire entanglements have been placed on the high stone wall along the Euclid avenue side and wire strung through the 10-foot hedge which runs along one side of the grounds. Additional watchmen have been placed at the main gate, and the cards of admission issued heretofore to citizens who wished to view the beautiful grounds have been recalled.

JUST ESCAPE STRAY BULLET

H. H. Deslauriers and J. J. Morin Frightened in Ware—Missile Falls to Sidewalk Between Them

WARE, July 10.—H. H. Deslauriers and Joseph I. Morin were badly frightened yesterday noon while walking home to dinner on North street by a bullet which whizzed through the air and fell to the sidewalk between them.

The bullet probably came from a rifle, as it seemed to be too large for a revolver. Up to a late hour today the owner of the rifle had not been discovered.

FOR CHAMPION WILLARD

HIS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE CALLED AT SUN OFFICE—WILLARD WILL POSITIVELY COME

Melville B. Raymond, the personal representative of Jesse Willard, was in town yesterday looking after the interests of the champion who is positively to appear with Ranch 101 Wild West show July 10.

For the first time in the history of the "fight game" a champion will be seen with an enterprise that can be attended by people of all ages and classes, and at a price far below the sum asked in former days. Willard—the Cowboy Champion—will visit our city in conjunction with The 101 Ranch Wild West, and what could be more in keeping than his association with that unusual aggregation, for he was originally a cow boy, long before he even thought of the championship, he was "punching steers" on the western range. Willard is really not a "prize fighter," in the use of the term we once looked on a man of that calling. Only four years ago he concluded he was large enough and strong enough to whip "the black," and with that object in view, he began to train himself to handle the gloves. His first thought was to bring the championship back to the white race, the money he would be able to make by so doing, was really an afterthought. Big enough he certainly was, six feet, six inches tall, with a reach—arms extended, of practically 84 inches, and a physique that is pronounced perfect, he was a fit aspirant for the position he sought. Every one knows how well he succeeded, how in the 26th.—that he will reproduce in the Wild West, he defeated his opponent. Every one also knows how clean living and lack of dissipation was the real foundation of the young fellow's success. Perhaps nothing ever took place in America, so vividly taught the youths of this country, the advantage of "no dissipation."

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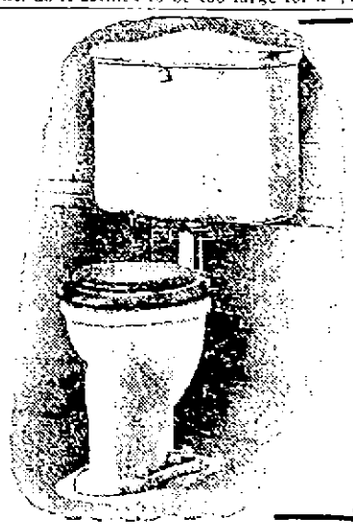

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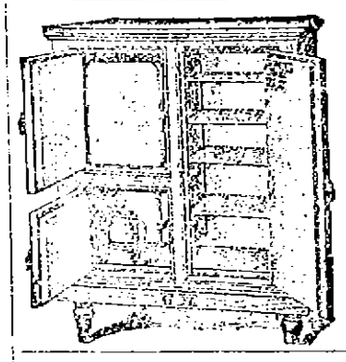

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FOR HIGH SCHOOL

Conference at City Hall Suggests High School Commission

A conference called for the purpose of considering the acquisition of land in Anne and Kirk streets for a new high school was held in the mayor's reception room at city hall yesterday afternoon, beginning at about 4.45 o'clock. Parties to the conference included the mayor, Commissioners Duncan and Putnam and Messrs. Lambert, Elliott, Leggat and Caisse. The proposition was either to purchase or otherwise acquire the land necessary for a new high school and Mr. Elliott, who is conversant with estate, particularly in the location in question, was delegated to see the property owners and ascertain the prices they set on their property. Another conference will be held Tuesday night and at that time Mr. Elliott will report the result of his conferences with the property owners.

All parties to the conference sanctioned the peaceful acquisition of the property if possible and if the property owners will agree to sell their properties for reasonable sums no seizure will be made. Mr. Elliott stated that he never knew of property either in Anne or Kirk streets selling as high as its assessed value. Mr. Duncan said that the assessed value is not necessarily the market value and gave as his opinion that if the property were seized and an appeal were taken to the court a jury would find that the assessed value is too high.

Mr. Elliott said he believed in offering a fair market price for the land. "I don't believe in having any dickering about it," he said, and his suggestion seemed to strike a popular chord. He said he would ask the property owners if they were willing to sell to the city for the prices which they gave him some time ago.

Dr. Lambert asked about the Knights of Columbus and Mayor Murphy suggested that their rooms might be used for class rooms. Dr. Lambert said it might work quite a hardship on the Knights of Columbus if they were obliged to vacate at once. Commissioner Putnam said it would be necessary to decide if they were going to be allowed to remain until fall. Commissioner Duncan thought all tenants should be given reasonable time to get out.

Dr. Lambert asked if the council had decided to make a start on a new high school this year and Mayor Murphy said the council had planned to do so. Mr. Duncan thought that an out-of-town architect should be employed, a perfectly disinterested party, and Dr. Lambert suggested a commission to look after the building of the school. Mr. Leggat was not very much in favor of a commission and remarked that Lowell had not obtained very good results from the two last commissions, namely, the Huntington hall and Contagious hospital commissions. Dr. Lambert said that one good thing about a commission it would go through with a project as a continuous body. "We will not all be in office during the building of the school," he said.

Dr. Lambert said it would be up to the school committee to collect data for plans. "We will have to furnish some idea of what is wanted and supply some details," he said. The style of architecture was mentioned and it seemed the consensus of opinion that it would be best to follow as closely as possible the lines of the old building. It was also the consensus of opinion that not another dollar should be spent on temporary quarters. The discussion also included the much talked of additions to the Pawtucket, Bartlett, Highland and Lincoln schools, but no definite action was taken.

Adjourned at 5.30 to meet Tuesday night at 9 o'clock.

NURSES ALUMNAE MEET

GRADUATES OF ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL HELD BUSINESS MEETING AND ENJOYED MUSICALE

The regular meeting of the Nurses Alumnae association of St. John's hospital was held last evening at the home of Miss Ella Quinn, 53 Nesmith street, with 20 members in attendance. Miss Annie Nash, president of the association, presided, and much business of importance was transacted. A very interesting paper by Dr. William M. Jones, referring to the early history of the hospital and the development of the nursing profession, was read, and there was a discussion of timely topics. Following the transaction of routine business there was a delightful musical program with songs by Miss Alice Dacey, Miss Mary Quinn and others. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening spent. It was announced that a special meeting of importance will be held at the hospital next Monday evening, and that the next meeting of the association will be at the home of Miss Helen O'Rourke.

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LOWELL MEN ARE PROSPERING

Hon. John T. Sparks Tells of Trip to Hamilton, Ont.

Met Many Former Lowell People There—Is a Beautiful City

Hon. John T. Sparks, the West Centralville druggist, has returned from a very pleasant trip to Hamilton, Ont., where he was the guest for a week of Frank Monette, a former Lowell man, now superintendent of the Canadian Knitting Co., and James Thomson, a former overseer at the Lawrence Mfg. Co., and now head of the Zimmerman Knitting Co. This was Mr. Sparks' second trip to the Canadian city but on the first occasion he did not remain long enough to get a good idea of the city, which he believes within a few years will be ahead of Lowell in every respect.

Mr. Sparks during his stay in Hamilton met a score or more of former Lowellites, who are established there with their families, and who are all doing well. He attended the great horse race under the auspices of the Hamilton Jockey club, he being one of the 10,000 people on the grounds. A feature with the races was the free betting. He said thousands of dollars changed hands on that day. This was last Thursday, what was known as Dominion day. People from all over Canada attended the races and it was stated a delegation of about 5000 went there from Ottawa.

The race track is one of the best in the country and horsemen from the states and Canada entered their steeds in the race, the affair being a running race instead of trotting. The city was thronged with visitors on that day and the entire program was carried out without the slightest hitch.

The population of Hamilton is about 100,000, and the city is as clean as a whistle. The streets are wide and all the sidewalks are of concrete. There is not an apartment house in the city, the buildings being all of the cottage type. An apartment house is now being erected, however. This will contain several flats and the rent will be $100 a month for each. Each dwelling along the streets is surrounded by a large lawn and the scenery in the city is most beautiful.

The streets are all well lighted by electricity, the "juices" being supplied from the Niagara Falls, a distance of 40 miles. Electricity for lighting and power is very cheap and most of the houses are lighted by electricity. The others use natural gas. The city is spreading, and it is a fact that during the past eight years the population has doubled. The lights in the streets are on reinforced concrete poles and very pretty.

There are numerous industries in the city and a couple of American companies are now installing large plants, one for electrical fixtures and the other for a soap factory. The Canadian Knitting Co. and the Zimmerman Knitting Co., two prosperous companies, are being conducted by former Lowell men. The first by Frank Monette, who recently distinguished himself in the industry line by putting out a large war order for underwear and stockings in a month. When the order was taken it was believed by those who knew the business that it would be impossible for the Canadian Knitting Co. to fill the order, but Mr. Monette came to the states, had knitting machines from an idle plant removed to his plant, and a working crew of 300 was employed, working day and night, and the order for the British soldiers was delivered on time.

HON. JOHN T. SPARKS

James Thomson, who is also well known in Lowell as a former overseer at the Lawrence hosiery, is handling the affairs of the Zimmerman Knitting Co., of which he is one of the proprietors, and his plant is running full time with plenty of work. This concern is hiring a large number of help, including some former Lowellites. Among the former Lowell people met by Mr. Sparks during his stay at Hamilton are the following: Hugh Rogers, Arthur Boucher, Percy Smith, Charles Waugh, J. Laroche, M. Doucette, Henry Christian, Edouard Pratte and others. Henry Christian and Percy Smith are holding responsible positions in hosiery.

Mr. Sparks while in Hamilton paid particular attention to the jitney bus business. He said there are about 100 of the jitneys working in the city and they seemed to be conducting a profitable business. Of course last week was a gala week in Hamilton and 10,000 or more visitors in the city might have helped to increase the business for the jitneys.

Charles Robinson, a former Lowell printer, who went to Hamilton a few years ago, was in the paper box business and was doing well, but a few weeks ago he got tired of the business, sold out and went west with his family. He will tour the expositions in California and it is probable he will settle in the Golden state.

Stock Market Closing Prices, July 9

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	72¾	70¼	70¼
Am Beet Sugar	46¼	45¼	45½
Am Can	46½	45¼	46¼
Am Can pf	101	100¾	100¾
Am Car & Fn	53¼	52½	52½
Am Cot Oil	44¼	44¼	44¼
Am Hide & L pg	33½	32	32
Am Locomo	46	43½	43½
Am Smelt & R	77¾	74	74
Am Sugar Rfn	106	105¾	106
Anaconda	34½	33¼	33¼
Atchison	99⅞	99	99
Atch pf	97	97	97
Balt & Ohio	76¾	75	75⅛
Balt & O pf	70	69¾	69¾
Br. Rap Tran	87	86½	86½
Canadian Pa	143	141½	141½
Cent Leather	41⅞	40¾	40¾
Ches & Ohio	36¼	35¾	36¼
Chi & Gt W	10⅞	10⅛	10⅛
Col Fuel	31½	30⅝	30⅝
Den & Rio G	5½	5½	5½
Den & R G pf	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
Dis Secur Co	22	20½	20½
Erie	25⅜	24¾	24¾
Erie 1st pf	39	38¾	38¾
Gen Elec	165	163⅛	163⅛
Gt North pf	115½	111½	114⅝
Gt N Ore ctf	34¾	33⅞	33⅞
Illinois Cen	101	100½	101
Int Met Com	21	19¼	19¾
Int Met pf	72½	71¼	71½
Kan City So	23	21	21
Kan & Texas	6½	6	6¼
Kan & T pf	21	18⅞	19
Lehigh Valley	140¼	138¾	138¾
Louis & Nash	106½	105⅞	106½
Missouri Pa	3½	3	3⅛
Nat Lead	59¾	59¼	59¾
N Y Air Brake	90¾	90	90
N Y Central	86	82½	82½
North Pacific	102½	101½	101⅞
Ont & West	26½	26⅛	26⅛
Pennsylvania	105¼	104⅞	104⅞
People's Gas	114½	114½	114½
Pressed Steel	45½	44	44
Pullman Co	156	155⅛	155⅛
Reading	146⅛	144	144
Rep Iron & S	29½	28⅛	28⅛
Rep I & S pf	87⅛	86⅞	87⅛
St. Paul	80	78½	79½
So Pacific	85½	84	84
Southern Ry	14½	13½	14
Southern Ry pf	45	43⅛	43½
Tenn Copper	35¾	34⅝	34⅝
Third Ave	52	51½	51½
Union Pacific	125¼	123	123¼
Union Pac pf	80½	80	80½
U S Rub	46½	46	46
U S Steel	59⅝	58⅛	58¼
U S Steel pf	109½	109½	109½
U S Steel 5s	101¾	101½	101¾
Utah Copper	66¾	65	65
Wab R R pf	¼	¼	¼
Westinghouse	98¾	96¼	97
Western Un	66	66	66

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, July 9.—Reflecting the weakness in the New York list the local market developed an easier tone today with New Haven and Boston & Maine the weak features.

STRONG AT OPENING

WAR SPECIALTIES FEATURE WITH GAINS OF 1 to 3 POINTS TRADING ACTIVE

NEW YORK, July 9.—War specialties were the feature of today's strong opening with gains of 1 to 3 points. Representative railways also recovered from yesterday's heaviness. Union Pacific, Canadian Pacific and Reading gaining 1 to 1 1-2 points, with more moderate advances in copper and obscure industrials. U. S. Steel rose 1-2 point on fair demand. Offsetting features included Missouri Pacific, Missouri, Kansas & Texas and Southern railway preferred which descended to new low prices. Trading was broad and fairly active.

A sharp reversal occurred before the end of the first hour under lead of New Haven which broke steadily to 55 1-2, a loss of 5 points. Reading and Union Pacific also developed heaviness and other active stocks fell under yesterday's lowest prices. There also was a recurrency of weakness in secondary railways with a new low price for St. Paul. U. S. Steel was strongest of the speculative favorites but even in that stock signs of selling were observed in every advance. American Coal Products was prominent among the high priced specialties with a gain of 11 points. Further persistent selling for Europe was the feature of the bond list.

Union Pacific and Reading developed greater heaviness in the early afternoon and the low priced Rwy shares, including Rock Island and Chesapeake & Ohio, made further losses. New Haven recovered a small part of its decline.

New York Central, Lehigh Valley and Amalgamated Copper developed sudden weakness in the last hour and helped to carry prices in general to lower levels. The closing was heavy.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, July 9.—Mercantile paper 3 and 3 1-2. Sterling: Sixty day bills, 4.73; demand, 4.7740; cables, 4.7735. France: Demand, 5.64 1-4; cables, 5.63 1-2. Marks: Demand, 81 5-8; cables, 81 3-4. Lires: Demand, 6.14; cables, 6.13. Rubles: Demand, 36 1-8, cables, 36 3-8. Bar silver, 47 5-8. Mexican dollars, 36 1-2. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds heavy.

Time loans steady; sixty days, 2 1-2; ninety days, 2 1-2 and 2 3-4; six months, 3.

Call money steady; high, 2; low, 13-4; ruling rate, 2; last loan, 1 7-8; closing bid, 1 3-4; offered at 1 7-8.

BOSTON MARKET

RAILROADS

	High	Low	Close
Bos & Maine	28¼	24	25
N Y & N H	60¾	55⅝	55¾

MINING

	High	Low	Close
Alaska Gold	37¾	37	37
American zinc	56½	55¼	55¼
Arcadian	10½	10⅜	10⅜
Ariz Com	7½	7½	7½
Butte & Superior	70¾	69¼	69¾
Cal & Ariz	63⅞	63⅛	63⅛
Cal & Hecla	557	550	550
Chino	44½	44⅛	44⅛
Copper Range	53½	53	53
Granby	86	86	86
Greene-Cananea	37	36	36
Hancock	17	17	17
Indiana	6	6	6
Isle Royale	27½	27	27
Kerr Lake	4¾	4¾	4¾
Lake	13½	13	13
La Salle	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
Mass	11½	11	11⅛
Mayflower	4½	4¼	4¼
Miami	27¾	26⅞	26⅞
Michigan	1½	1½	1½
Mohawk	73	72	72
Nevada	14¾	14	14
Nipissing	5⅞	5¾	5¾
North Butte	30½	30	30½
Old Dominion	52	52	52
Osceola	85	85	85
Ray Con	23¼	22¾	22¾
Shannon	8	8	8
Superior	26¾	26½	26½
Superior & Boston	2⅞	2¾	2¾
Tamarack	35	35	35
Trinity	4½	4½	4½
U S Smelting	41½	39¾	40
U S Smelting pf	46	46	46
Utah-Apex	4⅛	4	4
Utah Cons	13¼	13¼	13¼
Wolverine	61	61	61

TELEPHONE

	High	Low	Close
Am Tel & Tel	120¾	120	120
New Eng Tel	131	131	131

MISCELLANEOUS

	High	Low	Close
Am Ag Chem pf	94½	94½	94½
Am Woolen pf	84⅞	84⅝	84¾
Island Creek Coal	48¾	48¼	48¼
Mass Gas	88	88	88
Pond Creek	16⅛	16	16⅛
Swift & Co	113	112	112
United Fruit	134¼	133½	133½
United Sh M	50¾	50	50
United Sh M pf	29	28¾	29

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, July 9.—Cotton futures opened steady. July 8.88; Oct. 9.25; Dec. 9.52; January, 9.56; Mar. 9.83.

Cotton futures closed barely steady. July 8.64; Oct. 9.08; Dec. 9.34; Jan. 9.42; Mar. 9.67.

Spot quiet; middling 9.00.

EXCHANGES

NEW YORK, July 9.—$349,610,345; balances, $20,447,019.

WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

DRESSING UP THE BACK YARD

"I wish I could fix our back yard up pretty and cool appearing," said Marjorie, as she gazed off to her aunt's well kept garden back of the house.

"I don't know why you can't accomplish that wish," returned Marie. "Of course the summer yard must have its hammock for lazy hours of rest or reading and a swinging bed hammock with bright cushions and an awning overhead is very ornamental under a clump of trees or against a big bush.

"More and more interest is being paid to the developing of beauty in a small yard, but a hit or miss arrangement will not have the dignity desirable and experimenting is impossible with the planting of things that must be put in the ground to stay. The finished effect has to be conceived in the imagination—in the mind's eye, so to speak.

"Rustic furniture is best for your yard, I think. Against the green of the hedge, a curved white settee would be delightful. The shape would suggest a cosy chat and a tea table might be set within the curved circle. Such an article of lawn furniture, placed against a clump of shrubbery, or under a shady tree, will lend distinction to the yard.

"A new kind of garden furniture for the summer nook is the familiar rustic birch sold with flat slab crossplecces changed a trifle in color. Tint this furniture a rich forest green and then shellac it. The contrast of green slats and the uprights of natural birch is also very pleasing. There is a roughness of suggestion about this furniture that makes it ideal for outdoors.

SEIZED FOOD SUPPLIES

REPORT GERMAN OFFICERS WITHHELD FOOD SENT FOR RELIEF OF BELGIANS

ROTTERDAM, Holland, via London, July 9, 2.47 p. m.—It is reported here that the German military authorities in several of the Belgian provinces in an effort to force the civilians to work for the army of occupation, have withheld food supplies sent in by the commission for the relief of Belgium.

GENERAL INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, July 9.—A general investigation of the rates and practices of all common carriers in the United States in connection with transportation of lumber and lumber products was announced today by the interstate commerce commission. Hearing will be set later.

WEEKLY BANK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, July 9.—Dun's weekly bank clearings, $2,957,158,965 compared with $2,584,364,322 last year. New York city reports an increase of 18.0 per cent over last year.

While this expansion can in part be attributed to greater activity in the stock and other speculative markets a considerable portion is also undoubtedly due to the broadening volume of business in ordinary commercial and industrial lines.

HELP FOR THE WOUNDED

POLISH RESIDENTS OF THIS CITY HAVE RAISED $1000 IN ADDITION TO FORMER FUND

Since the flag day conducted by the Polish people of this city some weeks ago over $1000 has been raised from various sources for the relief of the stricken people in Russian Poland by the Polish people of this city. Entertainments have been conducted by a number of churches and societies, and subscriptions both in money and in clothing and food are being taken up regularly. The money, food and clothing obtained in this way are first forwarded to the Polish headquarters in Switzerland and from there to the old country.

According to a prominent Polish worker, an enormous sum of money has been sent from this country to Russian hospitals for the maintenance of the soldiers and he claims that this shouldn't be done, as the soldiers are very well taken care of by the Russian government, and have everything they desire. This is also proven by the story of Mrs. Kozakiewicz, wife of the East Merrimack street dye house proprietor who recently returned from the besieged country after undergoing all kinds of hardships. She says the soldiers in the hospitals are being well taken care of, and that any money sent from this country for relief should be sent to the poor, wandering starving people, who for the most part are obliged to obtain whatever sustenance they can in the woods.

A number of Polish people were interviewed by a Sun representative today and all of them have received letters from the old country within the past few weeks. But there is little of interest in the letters, and the Polish people in this city have little or no means at the present time of finding out what is going on in the home country. The censorship is severe.

F. B. SANBORN FINED $10

PUBLICIST, WHO REFUSED TO CONNECT HOUSE WITH SEWER, WILL APPEAL CASE

CONCORD, July 9.—Frank B. Sanborn, the publicist, who for nearly a year has resisted the efforts of the town authorities to compel him to have his house connected with the public sewer, was fined $10 a day for violation of the health laws. Mr. Sanborn announced that he would appeal the case in order to determine the constitutionality of the statute compelling sewer connections.

KITCHENER AT THE FRONT

FIELD MARSHAL ON FIRST VISIT AS ACCOMPANIED BY PREMIER ASQUITH

Frederick Palmer, who is at the front for the Associated Press, sends the following:

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, July 8, via London, July 9, 5.12 p. m.—For the first time since the army has occupied the present line, Field Marshal Earl Kitchener has been at the front. He was accompanied by Premier Asquith and Cols. Hankey and Fitzgerald. He arrived on Tuesday afternoon, the guest of Sir John French, commander of the British expeditionary forces on the continent and that afternoon visited the grounds of the flying corps, the cadet school, where officers are trained, and the machine gun school.

NATIONAL PROHIBITION

NATIONAL CONVENTION OF ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE ADOPTS RESOLUTIONS

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 9.—The national convention of the Anti-Saloon league of America today unanimously adopted resolutions formulated by the board of directors of the organization, urging congress to submit the question of national prohibition to the people of the country by referring to the state legislatures for ratification a joint resolution proposing a prohibitory amendment to the federal constitution. The resolutions declare that national prohibition is the "supreme temperance issue before the American people."

OUTINGS ARE PLANNED

NEXT WEEK WILL SEND MANY TO THE BEACH AND ELSEWHERE

Mountain Rock will be the scene of the annual outing of the members of the Dracut Congregational church today, and present indications point to the affair being a grand success.

One special car chartered by Conductor Erickson and Motorman Lussiers will also take several Chelmsford Centre people to Bass Point for a day's outing. This is an annual event conducted by these two employes of the Street Railway company.

On Wednesday morning of next week two cars will leave Chandler's corner, Tewksbury, loaded down with the members of the Tewksbury Congregational Sunday School whose destination will be Canobie Lake. The outing is an annual event and will be in charge of the pastor of the church, Rev. Sarah A. Dixon.

The Immaculate Conception Sodality of the Immaculate Conception church will enjoy the sea breezes at Revere beach on the same day, the members of the society going in one special car. The affair is in charge of a committee headed by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O. M. I. The start will be made at 8.15 a. m. and the cars will leave on the homeward trip at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Thursday will be a big day for the Bay State Street Railway Co., no less than seven special cars being chartered by private parties or concerns for that day.

One car will take the employes of Friend Bros. bakery to Revere beach at 8.15 a. m., and the return trip will be made shortly after 6 o'clock in the evening.

The employes of Saunder's market will also sojourn at Revere for the day, leaving on one big special at 8 o'clock in the morning. Motorman James Fitzgerald and Conductor M. McMahon will be in charge of the car.

The Bon Marche employes will leave the square at 8.15 on one special car for Revere. The outing will be in charge of a committee headed by Chairman Moise Saulnier.

The members of Eastern Star lodge, Puritan chapter, will leave the square shortly before 7 o'clock for Nahant. The car is charged to C. G. Anderson.

Mountain Rock will be the scene of the annual outing of the members of the Pawtucketville Congregational church on that day and a number of special cars will run to the resort.

CHARLES L. KELECHNER
New Manager of Lowell Ball Team
Photo by Marion Studio.

TAKE WIRELESS STATION

CAPT. WM. H. G. BULLARD TAKES CHARGE OF SAYVILLE, L. I., STATION

SAYVILLE, N. Y., July 9.—Capt. William H. G. Bullard, superintendent of the United States naval station at Arlington, Va., personally took over today the Sayville wireless station whose formal transfer to the government's censors was made last night by the Atlantic Communication Co., its owners.

Capt. Bullard remained at the plant about an hour, leaving Lieut. George R. Clark in charge. Except for the operators the former force will be retained, it is said.

CARGO OF DYNAMITE

OFFICIALS INVESTIGATING CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING A GERMAN STEAMER

NEW YORK, July 9.—Custom officials were investigating today the circumstances under which the German steamer Magdeburg remained anchored in Gravesend Bay with a cargo containing 196 tons of dynamite aboard. This was done, it was said, to determine the danger that would exist, if any, to other craft in the lower bay in event of an explosion aboard the steamer.

The Magdeburg has lain at her anchorage about three-quarters of a mile from the channel used by trans-Atlantic vessels ever since the war started.

ROADBED WASHED AWAY

SERIOUS WASHOUT NEAR LEWISTON, ME.—LARGEST RAINFALL IN SEVEN YEARS

LEWISTON, Me., July 9.—The most serious damage by the storm of yesterday in this section was a washout at Day's Corner, Monmouth, on the L. A. & W., where nearly 200 feet of roadbed was washed away. A car upon which General Supt. Bowle was making an inspection, narrowly escaped being wrecked at this point early today. Washouts on the various interurban lines out of the city have seriously interfered with all travel.

This was the largest rainfall here in more than seven years.

The total precipitation of the storm was 4 inches at Lewiston. This is one-eleventh of total average annual rainfall here. The smallest fall reported along the river was at Pontook dam where 2.52 inches fell.

BREAKING OF DAM

OSSIPEE, N. H., July 9.—Several villages in the Chocorua river valley were without electric power today, railroad traffic was practically at a standstill, no mails had been received or despatched and crops were seriously damaged, as the result of the breaking of Moore's dam on the Chocorua river early today following a heavy downpour of rain. It was not until mid-forenoon that communication was established with outside points.

GERMAN BOMBARDMENT

REMNANTS OF BRITISH ARMY STORES AT ARRAS, IN FRANCE, DESTROYED

BERLIN, July 9 (by wireless to Sayville, L. I.).—The remnants of the British army stores at Arras, in France, have been destroyed by a continuation of the German bombardment and by fire, according to information given out by the Over Seas News agency. The destruction of the cathedral has robbed the British artillery of an observation station, the agency says.

APPEAL BY KITCHENER

SAYS "WE REQUIRE MORE MEN, AS MILITARY POSITION IS A SERIOUS ONE"

LONDON, July 9, 1.50 p. m.—Great crowds assembled in and around the Guildhall, and the routes leading to it this afternoon to hear Field Marshal Earl Kitchener address a meeting to inaugurate a special recruiting campaign.

"We require more men and still more men," said Earl Kitchener, "but the situation in this respect is immeasurably better now then it was 10 months ago. The military position today, however, is as serious as it was then."

The foregoing was the keynote of the war secretary's speech to influence recruiting.

RUSSIAN BARK SUNK

LONDON, July 9, 4.42 p. m.—The Russian bark Marion Lightbody was sunk off Queenstown today by a German submarine. The crew was saved. The bark, which was of 2176 tons gross, left Valparaiso March 23 for an English port.

PERSONALS

The many friends of Mrs. Ezra E. Mansur, 11 Fernald street, will be glad to know that she has rallied from her recent operation and is now on the road to recovery.

FUNERAL NOTICE

BRECKENRIDGE—The funeral of Robert Breckenridge will take place Sunday afternoon from his home, 131 Jewett street. Prayers at the house at 2 o'clock. Services at the Paige Street Baptist church at 2.30. Friends invited. Burial private. Funeral in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

FIRE IN NORTH BILLERICA

BLAZE IN HOUSE OF MRS. OTTO DAVIS YESTERDAY NOON—LOSS SEVERAL HUNDRED DOLLARS

A fire broke out yesterday at the residence of Mrs. Otto Davis on Pollard avenue, Billerica. It started in the cellar and worked up through partitions and floors. The Billerica fire department was called and succeeded in saving the building. The damage will reach several hundred dollars. It was from this place that Otto Davis, the former owner, was drowned last Saturday.

SINKING OF LUSITANIA

GERMAN PAPER FORECASTED IT AND PREDICTED EXPLOSIVES ON SHIPS SAILING FROM U. S.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador today formally called attention of the state department to The Fatherland, a German paper published in New York, pointing out that it forecasted the sinking of the Lusitania and predicted internal explosions sailing from the United States for the allied nations. Without making any request, the ambassador communication declares that such publications indicated "guilty fore-knowledge of a crime."

OFF FOR BATTLEFIELD

100 ITALIAN RESERVISTS LEFT BOSTON FOR NEW YORK WHERE THEY WILL EMBARK

BOSTON, July 9.—Bound for the battlefields on the Italian frontier, a party of 100 Italian reservists left today for New York where they will embark tomorrow on a steamship for Naples.

All of the members of the party were between 20 and 30 years of age. They compose the fifth quota of Italian reservists to leave New England since their country became involved in the war.

MEXICAN IS ARRESTED

JOSE A. ROBLES, FORMER GENERAL, TAKEN TO JAIL IN DEFAULT OF BAIL

EL PASO, Tex., July 9.—Jose Alesio Robles, former Mexican general, was arrested by federal authorities today charged with conspiracy to violate the United States neutrality laws. In default of $5000 bonds he was taken to jail.

Robles was named in the charges filed by federal authorities at San Antonio, including those against Gen. Victoriano Huerta and five others arrested with him and now held in the county jail.

Robles was a brigadier general under the late Porfirio Diaz and for a time was in command of the Tampico garrison under the Huerta regime.

PRES. THAYER INDICTED

HEAD OF STEAMSHIP COMPANY AND THREE BROKERS CHARGED WITH SUPPLYING GERMANS

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—Philip R. Thayer, president of the Northern & Southern Steamship company, and Joseph Bley, R. H. Swayne and J. S. Hoyt, shipping brokers, were arrested today on indictments returned by the federal grand jury yesterday charging violation of American neutrality in connection with the transfer of supplies to German warships by the steamer Sacramento.

After the arrests it was announced that the firms of C. D. Bunker & Co. of which Bley is a member, Swayne & Hoyt and the Northern & Southern Steamship Co. have been indicted on charges of making a false manifest and of obtaining clearance fraudulently.

Dr. Thomas Addis of Lane hospital, alleged examining physician for British recruiting agents, also was arrested today and gave bond on two indictments charging hiring and retaining recruits and conspiring to do so.

INSPECT HOLT LETTERS

2000 GONE OVER BY POLICE—NOTHING TO INDICATE THAT HE HAD ACCOMPLICE

NEW YORK, July 9.—Nearly 2000 letters found among the effects of Frank Holt at Ithaca have been gone over carefully by the police, it was announced today and not a single sentence has been found among them to indicate that he had an accomplice in his program of terrorism by bomb and assassination.

The letters were written in French, Italian, Spanish, German and English and dated as far back as 1906. In one of the letters—from the secretary of Andrew Carnegie—it was learned that Holt had offered to go to China to teach and to take his wife with him as a missionary. He had written that he could not do this, however, for $1000 a year, and hoped that Mr. Carnegie could make it $1500."

Two letters from an aunt of Holt, in Leipsic, Germany, were found. So far as could be learned they contained no reference to Holt's life as Erich Muenter. Other letters showed that Holt had exchanged views on topics of the day and public questions with college presidents. A copy of a letter sent by him to Mrs. Ballington Booth told of his success in having induced a prison official to introduce welfare work in the prison.

It was said to be generally believed now that Holt worked alone and that no one else even knew of his plans.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING

FALL RIVER, July 9.—Nelson Fontaine, chauffeur for John S. Brayton of this city, was killed by lightning in the garage at Mr. Brayton's summer home at Westport Harbor last night. His body was found this morning.

EIGHT PERSONS INJURED

BOSTON, July 9.—An elevator carrying nine persons fell eight stories in a Tremont street building this afternoon. Eight persons were injured or scared, five of them being removed to a hospital. Safety appliances checked the speed of the car in its drop, and undoubtedly prevented a more serious accident.

DEATH OF HOLT

Inquest Shows He Killed Himself by Jumping to Cell Floor

MINEOLA, N. Y., July 9.—A coroner's inquest into the manner in which death was reached by Frank Holt, who attempted to assassinate J. P. Morgan last Saturday, established clearly today that Holt had killed himself by jumping head foremost 18 feet from an iron bar on the side of his cell to the floor.

There was nothing to indicate that Holt had been shot or had shot himself, an opinion which appeared in certain quarters to have survived the autopsy.

It was learned today that Holt's brain which was removed at the time of the autopsy for possible examination by alienists, had been sent with his body to Dallas.

GREEK SCHOOL OUTING

CHILDREN TAKEN FOR CAR RIDE TO LAKEVIEW EARLY YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

The pupils of the Greek summer school, boys and girls, numbering about 50, were taken on a car ride to Lakeview yesterday afternoon by the teachers in charge of the school.

The school which opened Tuesday, is being conducted at the Pilgrim chapel in Market street and it is believed it will prove more successful than last year, although those in charge were glad of the results obtained during last summer.

The children, marching in twos, were escorted to Merrimack square by the teachers and a couple of parents at 3 o'clock this afternoon and they all boarded a Lakeview bound car. Upon arriving at the resort the little ones were supplied with goodies and they were given rides on the merry-go-round and the roller coasters. The trip was very successful and greatly pleased the boys and girls.

AFTER CHAUFFEURS' LICENSES

Thirty-three applicants for chauffeurs' licenses took the examination at city hall yesterday. The examinations are held under the auspices of the Massachusetts highway commission and today's class was the largest that the examiners have had in this city. The examiners were Messrs. Bliss, Hubbell and Bonzagni. The applicants were from Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill, Andover and other places in this vicinity.

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INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The employes of the Massachusetts and Merrimack mills will resume work Monday after enjoying a seven days' vacation.

The employes of the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co. will not take up their duties again until a week from Monday.

The Ipswich mills, Ipswich, Mass., of which the local plant in Warren street is a part, one of the largest, best managed and merchandised hosiery mills in the country, has representatives in Great Britain handling its product for export.

The Lawrence Manufacturing Co. of this city has a surplus of yarn on the market at the present time greater than ever before, because the local mill is using artificial silk and silk bought in the open market instead of some of its own product.

The Millmen's union held a well attended meeting in Carpenters hall, Runels building last night, at which considerable business of importance was transacted. Two applications for membership were received and turned over to the investigating committee. Following the session addresses on organization were made by several of the members.

Machinists' Union

The regular weekly meeting of the Machinists' union, local 138, was held in Cotton Spinners' hall, but only business of a routine nature was transacted.

Bricklayers' Union

The Bricklayers' union had a lengthy and interesting session last night. A number of committee reports were accepted as read and a bunch of communications from various unions, in which a number of grievances were stated were referred to the secretary for disposal.

Woolen Weavers

The Woolen Weavers' union held another rousing meeting in Trades & Labor hall last evening. Nine candidates were admitted and seven applications for membership were received. Addresses were made by Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers, Daniel E. Whalen, organizer for the Boot & Shoe Workers' union and others.

Woburn Boys Return

Archie Mohan and Harold Hennelly, two Woburn lads, who recently enlisted in the British army in England and through the efforts of Congressman Rogers of this city obtained their release, have returned to their homes. The young men stated they went aboard a cattle boat and were left penniless in England. Inasmuch as they had experience in the militia, being at one time connected with Company G, Fifth regiment, they enlisted in the army in a spirit of adventure.

Thinks Girls Failure in Business

Mrs. E. A. Hodgkins, instructor and advisor of employes in Denver department stores is quoted as saying:

"If I were the owner of a large store I would employ only men. Women have only their intuition to depend upon to succeed in the business world. They lack judgment and reasoning powers. They do a thing but cannot tell why they did it. Their inherent inability to give a reason when asked is what prevents them from being as valuable to business as men."

These are Mrs. Hodgkins' words. Her professional title is "efficiency expert."

"Women are paid less than men not because their sex is unfairly treated," Mrs. Hodgkins is further quoted, "but because they are worth less. I do not say that women are utterly unfit to be in the business world, but certainly, if I were an employer, I would hire men in preference to women. I should consider women too much of a risk. There are many well-balanced women, but even they are likely to fail when it comes to a matter of reasoning. A woman gambles where a man reasons.

Mrs. Hodgkins evidently could not have been a suffraget.

Opportunity for Advance

The United States has long been designated "The Land of Opportunity," and with good reason, for in no other country does the man with intelligence, ability and a willingness to work as his sole capital, have presented to him parallel opportunities for advancement. No matter what field he enters ,there are many avenues for advancement before him. His progress depends very largely on his own efforts. There are those who because of failure, are inclined to view such statements with little credence, making the claim that though it may have been true some time since, there is much less possibility of winning success at the present time.

We are not inclined to accept this pessimistic view, although willing to admit that with the increase of population there is greater competition along certain lines. On the other hand, new inventions have created new industries, and these, in turn, more opportunities, for those who have the capacity for close application and study. One of the best known captains of industry said not long ago that there were many more high salaried positions waiting for competent men to fill them than there were men fitted to take them. This may seem a very broad statement, but we know that many of our large corporations are ever on the alert to secure the services of competent men, with but little regard to the salary requirements. True, we are not all endowed with an equal amount of ability, and many must be content to occupy a lower position on the industrial ladder, but the fact remains that the man with brains and ambition can gain the heights today as easily as at any period in the world's history. Indeed, it would be safe to say with greater ease at the present time, because increased facilities are available.

Lack of education has been responsible in some instances for keeping men in subordinate positions in years gone by, but today an education is within the reach of practically everyone in the land who desires it. Higher education, invaluable as it may be from a cultural standpoint, is not essential for the successful management of a business enterprise, and lack of college training in no wise prohibits one from gaining notable success in industrial life. One of the chief causes for lack of advancement is the great lack of concentration exhibited by the majority of our textile operatives. But few of them seemingly have any desire or ambition beyond the week end and the arrival of pay day. So many are content to perform their duties in a perfunctory manner, possibly working to secure a greater production and thereby a greater wage, but not especially solicitous as to the quality of their work, if it will only pass inspection. It is not from such as these that future overseers and superintendents are made, though invariably when some fellow worker receives a merited promotion they are voluble in expression of the thought that favoritism has been shown or the coveted position would have been theirs.

But a short time ago conversation with a young man of prepossessing personality brought to light the fact that promotion had come to one of those employed in the same department as himself, which he considered should rightly have been given to him. By further conversation it was brought out that he was a stickler for his "rights," and was averse to performing any work not strictly in his line of duty. He maintained that he did all he was paid for. This is a mistaken attitude for anyone to assume who has any desire for an increase in wages or a better position. The best method of getting higher wages is to earn more, and show a disposition to do more than the required amount of work. This young man made the mistake that many others are making today, contented to be expert in the particular process in which he was engaged, but with no ambition to acquire familiarity with other departments of mill work. In order to become the manager of a plant it is essential that the textile worker should learn as much as possible about the work of the various departments, so that, should he attain the desired goal, he will be able to co-ordinate the various departments into a smoothly working whole.

In the majority of instances the superintendent must accept a position in a relatively small mill, and such a position requires much more familiarity with the details of the various departments than does the management of the large plant. The size of the plant and its earning capacity is an effectual barrier to the high salaries necessary to secure the ablest men to head the various departments. Many questions of detail are referred to the superintendent that in a larger plant would be taken care of by a subordinate. In the small mill the superintendent must be a thorough manufacturer, while in the larger organization his duties are, to a very great extent, executive, as he can have as subordinates thoroughly competent men at the head of every department.

With the increased competition becoming more and more keen every season, arises the demand for men of ability who, by training, are fitted to deal with the complicated problem of operating a mill profitably. There seems to be an unwarrantable aversion on the part of our young men against engaging in the textile business, either woolen or worsted, partially perhaps because parts of the work are somewhat dirty and disagreeable. Abundant opportunities, however, are open to the honest, intelligent worker to attain a position of responsibility that will well repay the period of drudgery incident to his apprenticeship.

SLEEPYTIME TALES

NED'S FISHING TRIP

Once upon a time Ned's father one morning asked him if he would like to go fishing. Of course Ned was delighted for he had teased his father for a long time to let him go with him to fish. So after breakfast father, with his spade and Ned with his toy shovel, went out into the garden back of the house to dig worms for bait.

Ned did not know whether he liked to pick up the worms or not, they were so slippery and crawly, but his father didn't seem to mind doing it, so Ned was brave as he could be and picked them up as calmly as did his father, although he almost squealed several times when they twined about his little fingers.

Then they got the boat down to the edge of the pond and father let Ned steer with the rudder while he rowed. Ned of course teased to row but his father didn't think he was strong enough and feared he would tip the boat over or lose the oars. When they started fishing Ned had again to handle the nasty worms and put them on his hook, but he was quite used to it by this time. Then he dropped his line overboard and it had only been there a minute or so when Ned felt a tug, then a much harder one and his father said: "Pull it up Ned. You've got a fish."

Ned hauled in his line and flop into the boat came one of the prettiest little fish you can imagine and there it lay flapping its tail at Ned's feet. "Now what shall I do?" shouted Ned, much excited. "Take it off the hook," answered his father. "And be careful you don't stick the hook in your fingers."

So Ned had to take the wriggling fish in his hand, and after much squealing and "Oh dears," he managed to get it off the hook and into the basket, but it was only his father's: "To be a man Ned you must learn to do these things," that kept him from crying, and it was a long time before he teased to go fishing again.

BENNETT HALL, BILLERICA

Bennett Hall in Billerica Centre affords a delightful place of amusement during the summer months. The hall is open the year round and during the past winter held very many successful dinner dances. During the summer months informal dancing is held every evening attracting a large number of patrons. Dinner is served from 6 to 8 p. m. and a light supper from 8.30 to 10 p. m. Music for dancing is furnished by a colored orchestra. A delightful evening of pleasure is in store for you at Bennett Hall.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Margaret Hardy, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by John Tannahill, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, John Tannehill, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourteenth day of September, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate sixty days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
J26-J3-10

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of William McCoy, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Charles H. Molloy, of Lowell, in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the thirteenth day of July, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

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6.47	7.30	7.13	8.24	9.40	10.57	10.50	11.53
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6.57	8.06	b8.21	9.34	12.05	1.15	3.30	4.40
7.21	8.05	9.00	9.39	a1.27	2.46	5.14	6.19
a7.28	8.17	9.15	9.52	3.15	6.44	6.45	7.63
7.56	8.37	9.50	10.06	7.25	8.35	7.00	8.15
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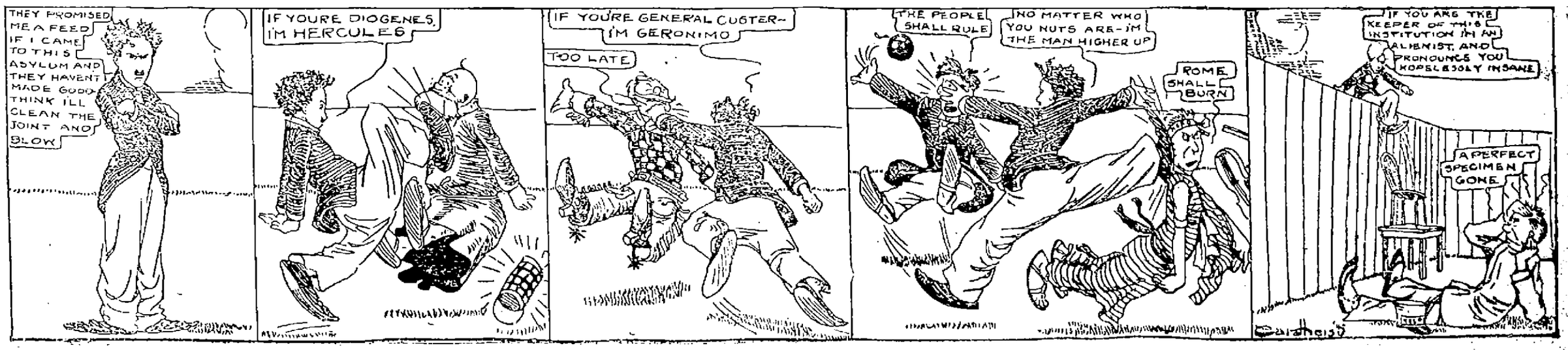

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THE SPELLBINDER

As high water and the engineering experts have held up the Pawtucket bridge matter temporarily, the thoughts of the members of the municipal council have reverted to the question of a new high school and the outlook isn't any too promising inasmuch as the discussion has been taken up immediately after the council's severe attack of Denmanitis, without any respite for convalescence. After the woful spectacle the municipal council has presented in attempting to handle an $80,000 proposition, it is with fear and trembling that the public watches it approach a $700,000 affair.

But why $700,000? Simply because the municipal council set those figures itself. It also set the figures on the bridge at $80,000, but after weeks of argument none as yet knows whether the bridge will cost $80,000 or 80 times that amount, and so it may be with the high school.

Mayor Murphy would like a school similar to that of Springfield, which cost $1,000,000, but Lowell can't afford a million dollar school, nor a $700,000 building for that matter.

The site has been located though the land damages have not been figured out. All that is known is that the municipal council is going to build a high school and has the idea in its official mind that that school must cost $700,000; no more, no less.

Like all of its other financial dealings of importance the municipal council has considered this matter in secret. In this case the excuse was that if real estate owners became aware of the fact that the city was to build a high school they would make life miserable for the members with offers of sites. When finally the municipal council decided upon the site it desired, it made the fact known that it had selected Kirk street. After making the announcement it side-tracked the proposition and gave its attention to the Pawtucket bridge. Meanwhile the many roomers in the lodging houses in Kirk street looked around for new quarters and moved away leaving empty rooms on the hands of the property owners in that vicinity, who have since been unable to rent them owing to the uncertainty as to the future of the property. Those who were disposed to sell their property have been unable to find a market for it as no one wants to purchase a place and have it seized by the city a short time afterward. Hence the householders have lost money through the premature announcement made by the municipal council and they will expect the city to make good that loss when it takes the property, or else they will bring suit. If the city has to make good this loss it is going to be put to an additional expense of substantial amount that it may or may not have considered when making the estimates that have aggregated the $700,000. In the end we may have a million dollar school building after all, similar in price to Mayor Murphy's ideal, if not in character.

Cost of Building

In other places where school buildings are constructed by experts on such construction, the cost of building them is estimated at $5000 per room, exclusive of the land. That includes the assembly hall, and all other appurtenances of a model school building. A well known architect who specializes in school building work was in Lowell a few days ago and verified the above statement as to the cost per room.

During the year just closed the high school had an enrollment of 1626 pupils, and while the average daily attendance was 1440 and the number listed 1503, the number of seats necessary is always determined by the enrollment and hence it was necessary last year to make provision for 1626, which was done by using up every inch of space in the main building which will take care of about 700 or 800 under ordinary circumstances, and the several large and small annexes. When Mayor Murphy was a member of the school board some years ago in his annual report he said: "The end of all education is the happiness of the individual," but there was but little happiness and less comfort for the individuals who were attempting last year to get an education in a makeshift annex which was without even necessary sanitary appointments. This year the number enrolled will be considerably more, and as the increase has followed annually in the past it is to be assumed that it will continue one year hence so that when the high school shall have been finished, assuming that it is to be built without unnecessary delay, there will be over 2000 pupils enrolled. Of these the present building will continue to take care of 700 or 800, and hence the new building must be of sufficient size to take the overflow and make provisions for future increase.

At $5000 per room a school building that will meet all requirements can be built for less than half of the $700,000, the present estimate. Perhaps the remainder is to go for land damages.

Conferred in Public

After having held several secret conferences on the high school matter the municipal council and the school board finally came together in full view of the public yesterday afternoon. Perhaps they had read Mayor Murphy's report when a member of the school board in which His Honor said:

"When a man accepts the position of a school committeeman, it becomes his duty to make the public good his aim and sole ambition. A member should never permit himself to caucus with some of his associates, and then instead of meeting with the board to hear and be heard, to weigh and consider, meet merely to carry out a cut and dried program. He should also make it a point to improve every proper opportunity to convey to the public full details of the business affairs of the board, as well as his own particular school district. A wrong course pursued in these respects handicaps integrity."

His Honor's remarks of long ago are quite applicable not only to the school board of today, but to the municipal council over which he presides. It would seem His Honor had forgotten that such a report went out in his name.

Col. Carmichael Figuring Again

It was Col. Carmichael, who at a recent meeting of the municipal council figured out that Engineer Denman was to get 3 3-4 per cent. for supervising the construction of the new Pawtucket bridge and he received the prompt correction that the amount to be taken by Mr. Denman included the cost of "placing the steel," which would lead to the assumption that Mr. Denman will roll up his sleeves and personally do the job. Since The Spellbinder published an abstract from the address of Daniel B. Luten on bridge costs, Col. Carmichael has been doing some additional figuring and is more firm than ever in the stand that he took at the recent meeting of the municipal council. Up to the time that The Spellbinder article appeared nothing had been said about the detailed cost of the work, other than the fact that the whole job would cost $80,000 and what Mr. Denman said, namely that steel and supervision together would cost $15,000 while supervision in the case of the city not purchasing the steel from his company would cost $7079. These figures were accepted by the members of the municipal council without question, though after voting favorably on the $15,000 they changed their minds, left out the steel purchase, and with the exception of Col. Carmichael voted to give Mr. Denman his $7079 for supervision. Now that it is known what Engineer Luten, the expert, believes such bridges should cost there is much figuring going on and much question outside of city hall as to why the municipal council should vote an amount much in excess of the average cost, as per Luten, without looking around to see what that average cost might be. On the first proposition voted favorably upon and then rescinded, the municipal council proposed to pay $15,000 for the steel and supervision combined. Mr. Luten stated that steel should cost 5 per cent. and supervision, 5 per cent. which in this case would total $5000, while the municipal council had voted to pay $15,000 or $7000 more than it should, according to Mr. Luten, for the same. Then the subsequent proposition was voted, to pay Mr. Denman $7079 for supervison or $3079 more than should be paid for supervision, according to Mr. Luten.

Assuming that Mr. Denman is the best supervisor in the country; that his plans are eminently satisfactory to the Locks and Canals Co., Prof. Swain and the Worcester firm, the fact still remains that according to Daniel B. Luten, bridge expert, and after whom it is understood Mr. Denman's company is named, the city is still paying over $3000 more for supervision than it should pay, and would have paid $7000 more than it should pay had it purchased the steel as it originally proposed to purchase it.

Little to Kick About

Because one of the commissioners was chewing something other than the "rag," and presumably, "Old Honesty," while passing the Courier-Citizen building in Monday's parade the aesthetic soul of one of the C. C.'s staff was offended and he criticized the commissioner the following day. Surely a critic must be hard up for something to criticize when he makes mention of the fact that a commissioner chewed tobacco, gum or even cloves, in the parade. But that's the way of the Courier-Citizen, and 'twas ever thus, for long ago when a member of the common council stated at a meeting one night that he smoked in every room in his home, the Courier-Citizen threw up its hands in holy horror and roasted the poor councilman for a year afterward at every opportunity, always referring to him as "Councilman S———, who smokes in every room in his home." Will the Courier-Citizen henceforth refer to "Commissioner M——— who chews while on parade" at every opportunity? It may be that at some time or other the commissioner might have refused the writer a "chew" and is now paying the penalty.

The Memorial Hall Insurance

Insurance men express the opinion that the city fared very well in the adjustment of the Memorial hall losses, which probably justifies the expenditure of $600 for an appraiser representing the city when a city official might have done it without cost to the municipality. The insurance money is not yet all in and Mayor Murphy, I am informed, has stated that not a cent of it shall be touched until the entire amount has been received when all will be formally turned into the general treasury and then appropriated for the repairing of the building. It remains to be seen whether or not the entire $62,000 will be devoted to the repairs on the building or whether some $15,000 more or less will be "saved" and will go toward defraying the expense of the white way lights. The Huntington hall insurance money had gone for years before the public became aware of the fact; the perpetual care fund money had been withdrawn from the banks and was on its way somewhere, before the public got onto its removal. But now the public is on to a plan to use some of the Memorial building insurance money for white way purposes and is watchfully waiting the disposition of that money.

The monthly white way bills came before the municipal council yesterday and were approved. His Honor informed The Sun reporter that there was money in the treasury to meet them and that it was not insurance money. Thus it is assumed that they were met out of the $200 that the mayor "saved" out of his annual appropriation and the "$700" "saved" by Commissioner Morse on the purchase of road oil.

After the Ball Is Over

The Fourth of July celebration has come and gone, and with the receipts from lots, licenses, program, etc., the receipts have been a few hundred dollars in excess of the amount appropriated by the city, so that in reality the city doesn't lose anything after having the big show but instead is a winner. The Sun has suggested editorially that the amount taken in from the sale of lots could be used to good advantage by the park department, but this revenue, unfortunately, cannot be placed to the credit of the appropriation for parks but must go into the general treasury fund where it becomes useful for a variety of purposes. As this celebration didn't cost the city anything, perhaps the municipal council will now appropriate the $3000 that it "saved" on the celebration appropriation, for some other purposes, probably for white way maintenance. There has been considerable criticism of the mayor for closing city hall to the public, which included the friends and families of the employes, especially on account of the inclement weather, while there are also murmurings about the cold-shoulder given to some of the city officials by the mayor relative to the reception to Governor Walsh at the Yorick club. If the entertainment given the governor at the Yorick club was held under the auspices of the city then certain city officials should have been there who were not. For instance, City Solicitor Hennessy is not only a public official but also a classmate of Governor Walsh, but we understand the city solicitor was not among the invited guests at the good time, and there were others. But the celebration itself was a good one, despite the rain, and it demonstrated clearly the great difference between running a Fourth of July show under the old form of government and under the new form. It was a credit to the "do-nothing" administration, even if it was conceived, planned and carried out by the militiamen.

THE SPELLBINDER.

FULL TEXT OF THE GERMAN REPLY

BERLIN, July 9, via London, July 10. The text of the German note follows:

The undersigned has the honor to make the following reply to His Excellency Ambassador Gerard, to the note of the 10th ultimo, re the impairment of American interests by the German submarine war. The Imperial government learned with satisfaction from the note how earnestly the government of the United States is concerned in seeing the principles of humanity realized in the present war.

Also this appeal finds ready echo in Germany and the Imperial government is quite willing to permit its statements and decisions in the present case to be governed by the principles of humanity, just as it has done always.

The Imperial government welcomed with gratitude when the American government in the note of May 15 itself recalled that Germany had always permitted itself to be governed by the principles of progress and humanity in dealing with the law of maritime war.

Together For Freedom of Seas

Since the time when Frederick the Great negotiated with John Adams, Benjamin Franklin and Thomas Jefferson the treaty of friendship and commerce of Sept. 9, 1785, between Prussia and the Republic of the West, German and American statesmen have, in fact, always stood together in the struggle for the freedom of the seas and for the protection of peaceable trade.

In the international proceedings which since have been conducted for the regulation of the laws of maritime war, Germany and America have jointly advocated progressive principles, especially the abolishment of the right of capture at sea and the protection of the interests of neutrals.

Even at the beginning of the present war the German government immediately declared its willingness, in response to proposals of the American government, to ratify the Declaration of London and thereby subject itself in the use of its naval forces to all the restrictions provided therein in favor of neutrals.

"Germany Has No Guilt"

Germany likewise has been always tenacious of the principle that war should be conducted against the armed and organized forces of an enemy country, but that the enemy civilian population must be spared as far as possible from the measures of war.

The Imperial government cherishes the definite hope that some day will be found when peace is concluded, or perhaps earlier, to regulate the law of maritime war in a manner guaranteeing the freedom of the seas, and will welcome it with gratitude and satisfaction if it can work hand in hand with the American government on that occasion.

If in the present war the principles which should be the ideal of the future have been traversed more and more the longer its duration, the German government has no guilt therein. It is known to the American government how Germany's adversaries, by completely paralyzing peaceable traffic between Germany and neutral countries, have aimed from the very beginning and with increasing lack of consideration at the destruction, not so much of armed forces, as the life of the German nation, repudiating in doing so all the rules of international law and disregarding all rights of neutrals.

Charges Against England

On Nov. 3, 1914, England declared the North sea a war zone and by planting poorly anchored mines and by the stoppage and capture of vessels made passage extremely dangerous and difficult for neutral shipping, thus actually blockading neutral coasts and ports contrary to all international law. Long before the beginning of submarine warfare England practically completely intercepted legitimate neutral navigation to Germany also. Thus Germany was driven to a submarine war on trade.

On Nov. 14, 1914, the English premier declared in the house of commons that it was one of England's principal tasks to prevent food for the German population from reaching Germany via neutral ports. Since March England has been taking from neutral ships without further formality all merchandise proceeding to Germany, as well as all merchandise coming from Germany even when neutral property.

Just as it was also with the Boers, the German people is now to be given the choice of perishing from starvation with its women and children or of relinquishing its independence.

Knew Neutrals Might Suffer

While our enemies thus loudly and openly proclaimed war without mercy until our utter destruction, we were conducting a war in self-defence for our national existence and for the sake of peace of an assured permanency.

We have been obliged to adopt a submarine warfare to meet the declared intentions of our enemies and the method of warfare adopted by them in contravention of international law.

With all its efforts in principle to protect neutral life and property from damage as much as possible, the German government recognized unreservedly in its memorandum of Feb. 4 that the interests of neutrals might suffer from the submarine warfare.

However, the American government will also understand and appreciate that in the fight for existence which has been forced upon Germany by its adversaries and announced by them, it is the sacred duty of the imperial government to do all within its power to protect and save the lives of German subjects.

If the imperial government were derelict in these, its duties, it would be guilty before God and history of the violation of those principles of highest humanity which are the foundation of every national existence.

Disclaims Lusitania Responsibility

The case of the Lusitania shows with horrible clearness to what jeopardizing of human lives the manner of conducting war employed by our adversaries leads.

In the most direct contradiction of international law all distinctions between merchantmen and war vessels have been obliterated by the order to British merchantmen to arm themselves and to ram submarines, and the promise of rewards therefor, and neutrals who use merchantmen as travelers thereby have been exposed in an increasing degree to all the dangers of war.

If the commander of the German submarine which destroyed the Lusitania had caused the crew and passengers to take to the boats before firing a torpedo this would have meant the sure destruction of his own vessel.

After the experience in sinking much smaller and less seaworthy vessels it was to be expected that a mighty ship like the Lusitania would remain above water long enough even after the torpedoing to permit passengers to enter the ship's boats.

Circumstances of a very peculiar kind, especially the presence on board of large quantities of highly explosive materials (word omitted, possibly "dissipated") this expectation. In addition it may be pointed out that if the Lusitania had been spared thousands of cases of munitions would have been sent to Germany's enemies and thereby thousands of German mothers and children robbed of bread winners.

Concession to American Vessels

In the spirit of friendship wherewith the German nation has been imbued toward the union and its inhabitants since the earliest days of its existence, the Imperial government will always be ready to do all it can during the present war also to prevent the jeopardizing of lives of American citizens.

The Imperial government, therefore, repeats the assurances that American ships will not be hindered in the prosecution of legitimate shipping and the lives of American citizens in neutral vessels shall not be placed in jeopardy.

In order to exclude any unforseen dangers to American passenger steamers, made possible in view of the conduct of maritime war by Germany's adversaries, German submarines will be instructed to permit the free and safe passage of such passenger steamers when made recognizable by special markings and notified a reasonable time in advance.

The Imperial government, however, confidently hopes that the American government will assume to guarantee that these vessels have no contraband on board, details of arrangement for the unhampered passage of these vessels to be agreed upon by the naval authorities of both sides.

Dictates What Ships Shall Fly our Flag

In order to furnish adequate facilities for travel across the Atlantic for American citizens, the German government submits for consideration a proposal to increase the number of available steamers by installing in passenger service a reasonable number of neutral steamers under the American flag, the exact number to be agreed upon under the same conditions as the above-mentioned American steamers.

The Imperial government believes it can assume that in this manner adequate facilities for travel across the Atlantic ocean can be afforded American citizens.

There would, therefore, appear to be no compelling necessity for American citizens to travel to Europe in time of war on ships carrying an enemy flag.

In particular the Imperial government is unable to admit that American citizens can protect an enemy ship through the mere fact of their presence on board.

Injuries to Neutrals Only "Accidents"

Germany merely followed England's example when she declared part of the high seas an area of war. Consequently, accidents suffered by neutrals on enemy ships in this area of war cannot well be judged differently from accidents to which neutrals are at all times exposed at the seat of war on land when they betake themselves into dangerous localities in spite of previous warnings.

If, however, it should not be possible for the American government to require an adequate number of neutral passenger steamers, the Imperial government is prepared to interpose no objections to the placing under the American flag by the American government of four enemy passenger steamers for passenger traffic between North America and England.

Assurances of "free and safe" passage for American passenger steamers would then extend to apply under the identical pro-conditions to these formerly hostile passenger steamers.

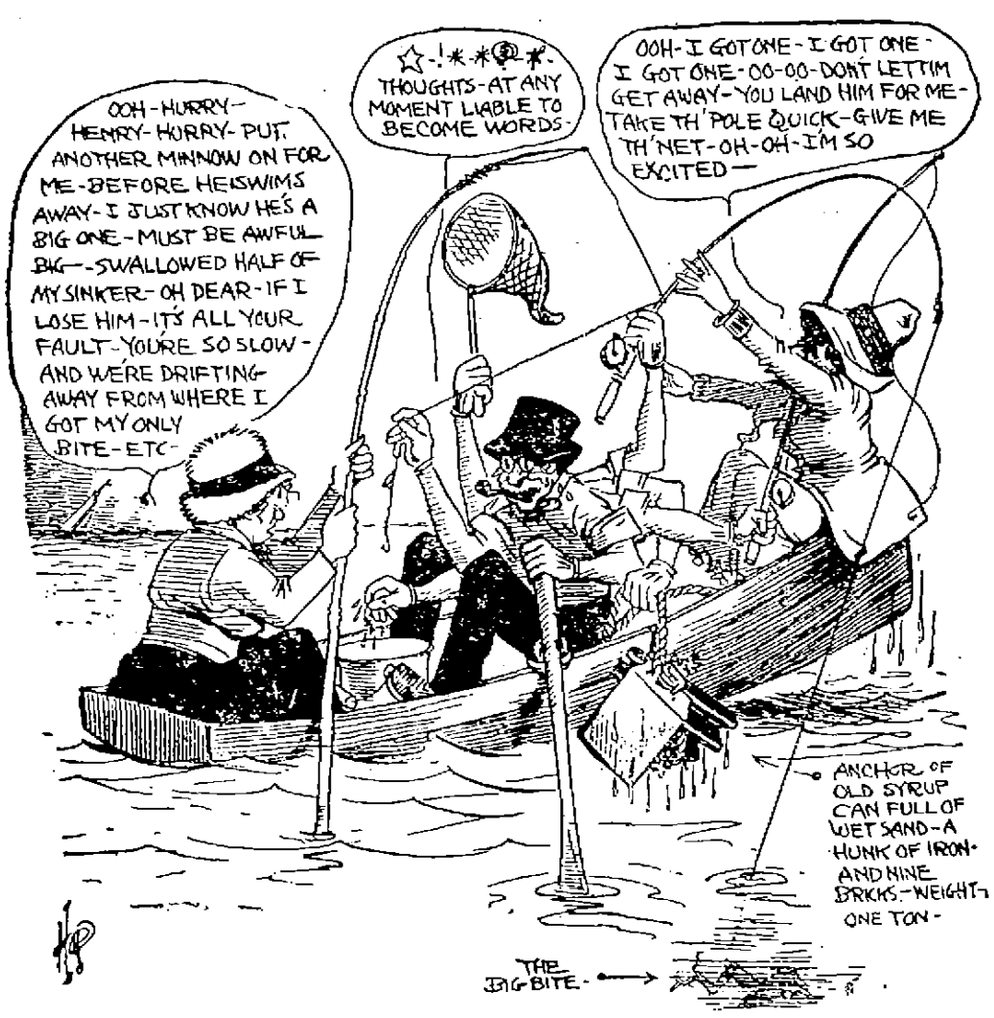
"Lofty Ideals of Freedom of Seas"

The president of the United States has declared his readiness in a way deserving of thanks, to communicate and suggest proposals to the government of Great Britain with particular reference to the alleration of maritime war.

The imperial government will always be glad to make use of the good offices of the president and hopes that his efforts in the present case, as well as in the direction of the lofty ideal of the freedom of the seas, will lead to an undertaking.

The undersigned requests the ambassador to bring the above to the knowledge of the American government and avails himself of the opportunity to renew to His Excellency the assurance of his most distinguished consideration.

(Signed) Von Jagow.



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BANDITS HELD UP AND ROBBED FAST TRAIN

Set Engine Off at Full Speed With no One in Cab—Conductor Dead

MONTGOMERY, Ala, July 10—Posses of officers and railroad detectives early today were scouring the country around Greenville, Ala., 60 miles south of here, in search of four bandits who near that place, shortly before 2 o'clock this morning held up and robbed the Louisville & Nashville fast train No. 37, bound from New York for New Orleans.

The bandits, after forcing the engine crew to abandon their engine, cut loose the mail, baggage and express cars, ran them a short distance down the track, turned a full head of steam on the engine and started it southward with no one in the cab and then looted the cars. The value of the loot obtained has not been ascertained. The passengers were not molested.

Conductor Phil McRea of Montgomery, after the robbery was found dead sitting on the steps of the observation car of his train. No wound could be found on his body. It was said the bandits fired one shot, but that it went wild.

The chief mail clerk said today a package of currency consigned to Houston, Tex., was secured by the robbers. The amount was not disclosed.

Conductor Phil McRae found dead on the observation car platform, is believed to have been stricken with apoplexy.

ROBBED 35 TOURISTS

U. S. Cavalry and Scouts Searching for Three Highwaymen in Yellowstone Park

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, July 10.—The United States cavalry and scouts today were searching the western side of the Yellowstone National park for the three highwaymen who yesterday held up and robbed a party of 35 tourists, mostly teachers from New York city, who were making the trip into the park in five stage coaches.

All reports received here stated that individual losses were small.

SUN FEATURES MONDAY

Ladies' Page With Fashion Descriptions and Illustrations—"What the Cook Says"

Monday's Sun will contain the Women's Page with fashion cuts, descriptions of styles and other articles of particular interest to women readers.

"What the Cook Says" will tell how to put up Eight Day Pickles; how to clean a Panama hat, and other interesting and helpful information.

"The Eyebrows and Sport Hats" will be the topic of the article tomorrow under the caption, "In Milady's Boudoir." "What the French Maid Said" will discuss "Packing for the Summer Trip." "Billy and Tage" will be the "Sleepytime Tale."

Don't miss the two big comic features, "Samuels and Sylenz" and Charlie Chaplin.

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When you have any real estate to sell, consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg. Telephone.

Hope Lowell's new manager will be as successful as the new leader of the White Sox.

The consistency of some landlords is equalled only by that of some politicians.

You get a discount price on your furniture repairs at Adams & Co's during July and August.

It is rumored that several new officials will soon appear in Merrimack square.

Dr. J. T. Donehue will be out of town during the remainder of July on his vacation.

The G. O. P. will attempt to "come back" at the outing at Bunting park today.

George Massey, engraver, 62 Butler street, Lawrence and Emily Culline, at home, 27, Methuen street, Lowell.

A large number of local fans planned to go out to Spalding park this afternoon to give the new manager the double O.

Mike Markham was seen running up Gorham street the other morning. No—not that—he was training for the fat men's race to be run off in connection with the Elks' outing.

"How is it that there is such a small number with us this morning?" said a passenger to the conductor on a local street car yesterday morning, which is usually crowded on that particular trip. "Well," replied the nickel snatcher, "I suppose the people are walking or riding in a jitney as a protest against the open cars, during the recent stormy weather."

KILLED IN AUTO WRECK

QUINCY, July 10.—Dr. Edward M. Currier, a dentist, of 1761 Beacon street, Brookline, was instantly killed on Quincy avenue in this city last evening, when his automobile turned completely over while going at a rapid rate of speed.

PLEADS GUILTY OF MURDER

DOVER, N. H., July 10.—Rodney Merchant, who shot and fatally wounded Edward A. Willand, superintendent of the Strafford county farm Thursday evening, following an altercation between himself and the engineer of the farm, pleaded guilty to the charge of murder in the municipal court at 4.30 yesterday afternoon, notwithstanding the fact that he had declared earlier in the day that he shot in self defense.

Merchant did not know until late yesterday that one of the two bullets he had fired into Supt. Willand's body had proved fatal. As soon as he was told this by Sheriff Young he asked how he could procure counsel, but later said he did not want counsel and would plead guilty. Judge Nason instructed him as to his right to plead not guilty, whether he considered himself guilty or not.

"That will do me no good," he replied. "I shot him and have decided to plead guilty."

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Next Saturday, July 17, at 3 O'Clock

HEIRS' SALE OF THE TAYLOR PROPERTY IN TWO SEPARATE PARCELS. FIRST PARCEL LOCATED AT NOS. 68-71 EXETER ST., CONSISTS OF A TWO-TENEMENT HOUSE AND ABOUT 4000 SQ. FEET OF LAND. SECOND PARCEL, AT NO. 67 EXETER ST., IS A COTTAGE HOUSE AND ABOUT 4400 SQ. FEET OF LAND.

FIRST PARCEL AT 3 O'CLOCK

An up-to-date two-tenement house with seven rooms, bath and pantry with each.

The flats are well arranged, every room airy and well lighted, excellent closet room, front and back stairs, separate front and back doors, side porches, and good, dry cellars. The house is in excellent shape inside and out, it being built but a few years ago for its present owners. The flats rent for $15 each, making a yearly rental of $360. The lot has a large frontage on Exeter street, with an area of about 4000 square feet. Good yard room, all in lawn, with concrete walk around the house.

This parcel should interest the home-seeker, where he could occupy one tenement and have the income of the other.

Terms—$350 must be secured to the auctioneer as soon as struck off.

SECOND PARCEL AT 3.15 O'CLOCK

A two-story cottage house with slated roof, having eight rooms, pantry, bath and storeroom. On the first floor are hallway, parlor, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, bath, pantry and side vestibule. On the next floor are three large square chambers, well lighted, also storeroom, and above is a finished attic. This cottage is in splendid shape, inside and out, and is occupied by its present owners, and would easily rent for $18 per month. The lot, which is practically a corner one, has a good frontage, with an area of about 4400 square feet. Large lawns, several fruit trees, cherry, peach and pear and small shrubbery. This little home would have to be seen to be appreciated, and if you want to locate in Centralville, here is your opportunity.

Terms: $250 must be secured to the auctioneer as soon as struck off.

Now, then, Mr. Homeseeker and speculater, the above two parcels will be offered for absolute sale, regardless of any condition of the weather, and it is up to you to attend the sale, for it is seldom you get an opportunity to purchase this kind of property at absolute sale. The properties are within 15 minutes' walk of Merrimack square, near to many large industries, schools and churches.

All inquiries must be made of the auctioneer, who has full charge.

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THE WEATHER
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German Note Insolent and Evasive

HIGH SCHOOL DELAY UP TO THE SCHOOL BOARD

Commr. Duncan Says School Committee Should Have Collected Data for Plans Long Ago

Commissioner Duncan thinks the school board has shown woful inactivity regarding the preparation of data in connection with plans for a new high school and he believes that Principal Cyrus W. Irish should be called in to help out on the plans. "I believe," said Mr. Duncan, "that Mr. Irish is the man whom we should most depend upon for suggestions relative to the new school. He is thoroughly familiar with present needs and he has given the matter a great deal of study. I think he is the one man who will be able to furnish the data and detail necessary for the plans. The school board has been talking about a new high school since the beginning of the year and has not yet done a thing toward the corralling or assembling of data necessary for the architects in the making of plans."

Making Poor Headway

Commissioner Duncan says he is free to confess that very poor headway is being made on the important prope-

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BECKER LOSES

Justice Hughes Has Refused Application for Writ of Error

RANGELEY, Me., July 10.—Justice Charles E. Hughes has refused the application for a writ of error to the United States supreme court made by counsel for Charles Becker of New York who has been condemned to die in the week of July 26 for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler.

The application was denied upon the ground that there was no substantial federal question.

It is understood that the argument upon the application for the writ was made at the justice's summer home at Rangeley Lake yesterday by W. Bourke Cockran of New York. Mr. Cockran left for home today without having made any statement regarding his mission and nothing of the procedure was made known beyond the following authorized announcement:

Justice Hughes declined today to make any comment on the case.

Gov. Whitman made no comment regarding Justice Hughes' denial of the Becker application for a writ of error.

"I can only say that I shall be ready at all times to hear any appeal that counsel or friends of Becker may desire to make to me," he said.

MRS BECKER NOTIFIED

NEW YORK, July 10.—Mrs. Charles Becker received word today that the application made in behalf of her husband to Justice Hughes had been denied. She made plans to confer with W. Bourke Cockran, Becker's counsel, later in the day. Mrs. Becker said she would visit her husband in his cell at Sing Sing tomorrow.

OVERCOME BY GAS

Man Found Unconscious at St. Charles Hotel This Morning—Had Registered as Guest

A man whose name is not known was found unconscious in a room in the St. Charles hotel this morning suffering from gas asphyxiation. He was taken in the ambulance to the Lowell corporation hospital where physicians worked over him in an attempt to revive him. The man was unconscious all forenoon, however, and unable to give his name.

At the hotel it was stated that the man hired a room there late last night. Though he registered, a clerk at the hotel said it was impossible to decipher his name or address. It is believed that the asphyxiation was accidental.

CHILD BURNED TO DEATH

John Metropoulos, a child of four years, died at St. John's hospital this afternoon as a result of burns sustained at the home of the parents, Arthur and Panagiota, on Lakeview avenue, in Dracut, last night. The little one had been playing with matches and set his clothes afire. The body was removed to the chapel of Undertaker Molloy.

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UPHOLDS COMMANDER WHO SUNK LUSITANIA

German Evasion of Liability May Lead to Severance of Diplomatic Relations—Blames England for the Lusitania Slaughter—Offers Safety to American Ships and Americans on Belligerent Ships not Carrying Contraband

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Although the official text of Germany's note on submarine warfare had not reached here early today the press copy which was read by officials was accepted as verification of earlier impressions that Germany had refused to give the United States the assurances asked for in the American note of June 9. Everywhere in official quarters the reply was discussed along with the probable action that the United States would be compelled to take as a result of Germany's unwillingness to concede to Americans the right to travel on the high seas on peaceful merchantmen of any nationality.

Pres. Wilson to Leave Cornish

President Wilson will start from Cornish, N. H., for Washington in a day or two to consider with his cabinet the grave situation impending. Comment in official quarters today was sparing as to the course that would be pursued, the general feeling being that nothing should be said until the president had returned.

On the other hand, those in official quarters familiar with diplomatic precedents and the progressive development of the American attitude believed that, having stated its position and asked for assurances which now have been refused, the only course left open for the United States seemed to be an announcement that it intended to assert its rights as established under the rules of international law. This would mean in effect that the United States would await a violation by Germany before taking action to compel respect for the rights asserted.

Diplomatic Relations

There was a revival of talk concerning the severance of diplomatic relations, it being recalled in official circles that in the now famous cabinet meeting of May 11, when the sinking of the Lusitania was first considered there was an informal understanding that if the negotiations of the United States to secure reparation from Germany for the destruction of American lives in that tragedy failed, the American government might be justified in discontinuing diplomatic intercourse with Germany. Germany's complete evasion of liability for the loss of Americans on the Lusitania has revived the subject most acutely, according to well informed persons.

For several days there has been an

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BIG REPUBLICAN OUTING

HON. SAMUEL W. McCALL

HON. GRAFTON CUSHING

HON. HORTON H. HILTON, Who Presided

Big Guns of G. O. P. at Bunting Club Today—Candidates for Governor Among Speakers

This is the day of the grand "comeback" celebration of the republican city committee, and at this writing it looked like a tremendous success.

The members of the outing committee who arranged the big powwow worked under considerable disadvantage owing to the inclement weather, which had a tendency to throw cold water, figuratively, on the plans, as it was generally believed that the jinx that has been following the local machine for some time would be on deck today. But this morning dawned fair and the hopes of the local representatives of the G. O. P. rose high, with the sun.

All morning the members of the outing committee hustled about town perfecting final arrangements, and at 1.30, when Charlie Wotton gave the word to start the auto parade that preceded the big show, there were many autos in line, while hundreds sought the scene of festivities, Bunting park, via the street railway lines.

As a general rule, these midsummer political outings have their disappointments, in the failure of noted personages to put in an appearance at the appointed time, but today nearly all who were advertised were on the ground. Senator Weeks sent his regrets, but the committee was not sure of getting him anyway, and hence there was no great disappointment. Chairman Thurston of the republican state central committee was indisposed and sent a telegram of regret, incidentally announcing that he would be represented by Mr. Frank Hall, secretary of the committee, and hence the state central committee was officially represented.

The affair originally was planned as a sort of welcome-home to Congressman John Jacob Rogers, who has been in Honolulu and who was returning home via the pleasure resorts of the great west. From the Grand Canyon in Colorado far away, the congressman wired the committee that he would be in attendance if he had to curtail his itinerary, and he made good, although he didn't arrive in town until the last moment. Hon. Samuel W. McCall, candidate for governor, came to town early and was entertained at lunch by Hon. Butler Ames at the latter's home in Belvidere. The other celebrities, who included Hon. Grafton Cushing, candidate for governor; Guy A. Ham and Calvin Coolidge, each of whom wants to be lieutenant-governor, were among the guests who came later. Then there were Sheriff Fairbairn and A. B. Messer, who wants to be sheriff, and senatorial, representative, county commissioner and candidates of high and low degree together with has-beens, never-wasers and those who live in hope.

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GERMAN ATTACKS ARE REPULSED BY FRENCH

French Airmen Bombard German Military Barracks — German Submarines Sink 3 Steamers

The German official statement records only slight activity along the front in France. Some advances, however, are claimed in the Champagne district and in Le Pretre forest. Nearly 1800 prisoners, three cannon, 12 machine guns and 18 mine throwers were taken between the Meuse and the Moselle in the fighting since July 4, the statement says:

The French war department reports the repulse of all German attacks and claims a total of 861 prisoners taken since July 8.

French airmen bombarded the German military barracks at Norry and the railroad stations at Arnaville and Bayonville, dropping 22 shells and 1000 steel arrows.

German submarines torpedoed and sank the British steamer Ellesmere, the Norwegian steamer Nordaas and the steamer Clio. All the members of the crews were saved except one man on the Ellesmere.

RESULT IN DARDANELLES

PARIS, July 10, 3.05 p. m.—An official announcement given out in Paris today reviews the results of the military operations in the Dardanelles between June 9 and June 24.

Previous to June 21 the daily engagements were relatively unimportant, but on the 21st a general offensive movement was organized by the French expeditionary force and resulted in the capturing of two lines of trenches. The principal objective was the position known as "Haricot" around which fortification the struggle has continued for the past six weeks. This position was stormed on three sides, and although the officer in command of the French expedition was severely wounded, the French forces continued to advance bravely and succeeded in gaining a foothold in the second line of trenches and in capturing a portion of the redoubt.

The fight lasted throughout the day and at nightfall the lieutenant-colonel in command gave orders to charge on the fort and regain the territory which, during the afternoon, the French troops had been forced to evacuate. Ten minutes later the whole line of trenches again was in possession of the French, and the Turks had been routed.

The French at once began to prepare their new positions to withstand the counter-attack which it was evident the Turks contemplated. This work was particularly difficult as the French were continually under the fire of several long range guns removed by the Turks from the former German cruiser Goeben and brought overland from Adrianople. At 3 o'clock the following morning the Turks made a furious counter-attack, but they were repulsed by the excellent infantry and artillery fire of the French. This last attack cost the Turks entire regiments, and the French gained the key position of Kerevos Dere.

FROM GERMAN HEADQUARTERS

BERLIN, July 10, via London, 3 p. m.—The German army headquarters staff today gave out the following statement:

"In the western theatre: Military activity was only slight along the entire front throughout the day. Three French attacks at Launois, on the southern slope of Hill No. 631, near Ban-de-Sapt, broke down under our artillery fire.

"During the night a projecting French trench was taken by storm in the Champagne district northeast of the Beausejour farm. Joining this trench to the east we undertook a few successful mining explosions.

"Between Ailly and Apremont isolated fighting at close quarters took place.

"In the forest of Le Pretre we improved our new positions by making an advance.

"Since the fourth of July 1789 prisoners, including 21 officers, were taken and three cannon, 12 machine guns and 18 mine throwers were captured in the battles between the Meuse and the Moselle.

"At Lientrey, east of Luneville, night advances made by the enemy against our outer positions were repulsed.

"In the eastern theatre: An attack made on the enemy on Ossowetz was repulsed.

"In the southeastern theatre: The situation with the German troops remains unchanged."

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GERMAN NOTE

President Wilson Retains Strict Silence on Entire Subject

CORNISH, N. H., July 10.—President Wilson was in communication today with Secretary Lansing and Secretary Tumulty at Washington, regarding the latest German note on submarine warfare.

After the president had been told of unofficial versions of the text of the German note he made no comment. It was said that he would study carefully the official text of the note as soon as he received it, and in the meantime would maintain a strict silence on the entire subject.

Upon his return from an early morning game of golf President Wilson was informed of the publication in American newspapers this morning of the text of the note as cabled unofficially from Berlin. He immediately communicated with Washington and remained in his study at Harlakenden house until lunch time, considering the situation growing out of the note as well as other official business.

Sec. Lansing will take the German note to Pres. Wilson at Cornish, N. H., as soon as the official text arrives. The president will then decide when he will return to Washington. The president conferred with Secretary Tumulty at noon today and asked that Secretary Lansing bring the note to him.

The official text of the note was today probably somewhere between Copenhagen and New York on its way to the state department. The first word that came to the state department today was that Ambassador Gerard had, late yesterday notified the telegraph office at Copenhagen that it was on its way to the cable.

Officials thought the first sections would begin coming through tonight. The last note from Berlin took thirty hours to reach Washington. It will take several hours to decipher the text after it arrives.

It was said by high officials that Mr. Lansing probably would start for Cornish tomorrow and that after a policy had been determined upon it would most likely be submitted to a cabinet meting at the end of next week for final consideration.

The general expectation is that Mr. Lansing will spend a day or two with the president at Cornish and return to Washington with a preliminary draft of a note which, when completed would await the president's return and discussion with the cabinet.

ASSOCIATED PRESS LEADS

NEW YORK, July 10.—Answering numerous inquiries, how the Associated Press brought in the German note in advance of the official despatch to Washington, is explained by the fact that the official communication had to be coded by the American embassy in Berlin, while the Associated Press report came in plain language. It was routed Berlin, to Holland, to London, to New York.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

EXPLOSION ON LINER SAID TO BE HOLT'S BOMB

HALIFAX, N. S., July 10.—A bomb placed aboard the Atlantic Transport Liner Minnehaha as she lay at her pier in New York caused the explosion and fire at sea, in the opinion of the officers of the steamer, which put in here for examination yesterday.

The explosion occurred in No. 3 hold and was of terrific force, shaking the vessel from stem to stern. Those of the crew who were forward at the time were fairly stunned by the shock and two sailors were hurled bodily into the air.

Flames followed quickly and for two days and two nights the crew battled heroically to save the ship, which Erich Muenter, alias Frank Holt, had boasted he would send to the bottom.

There is no doubt in the minds of the officers that Erich Muenter, alias Frank Holt, or confederates, were responsible for the outrage, which, well-timed, occurred at 4.15 p. m. of July 7, the date upon which the dynamiter predicted that some vessel, of the name of which he appeared uncertain, would be destroyed.

One of the officers said: "When we left New York I felt that we were in for trouble." This officer explained that he had not liked the looks of some of the longshoremen who had loaded the vessel, and said that as she steamed down the harbor a launch was passed, the occupants of which shouted, "Minnehaha, down, down," at the same time pointing to the water.

"You cannot tell me," he concluded, "that those fellows did not know a bomb had been placed in our ship."

Muenter's plans were frustrated by the fact that his weapon of destruction was placed with miscellaneous freight forward and so separated by stout bulkheads from an enormous cargo of ammunition which, with other inflammable munitions of war intended for the allies, filled the afterholds.

While the sailors fought the fire Capt. Claret headed his ship for Halifax and brought her safely through a southwesterly gale and thick fog to an anchorage in the lower harbor here at 1 o'clock this afternoon. By that time the flames had eaten their way through No. 3 hold and into No. 4 hold, but late yesterday afternoon it was announced that they had been extinguished.

"FINE AND DANDY"

Officials so Report on Condition of J. P. Morgan, Who Was Shot by Holt a Week Ago

NEW YORK, July 10.—J. P. Morgan, who was shot twice a week ago in an attempt on his life by Erich Muenter, alias Frank Holt, was "feeling fine and dandy" today, was the report at his office here.

BOMBS ON SHIPS

Nine Found Hidden in Bags of Sugar on the Kirkoswald

NEW YORK, July 10.—Nine bombs were found aboard the steamer Kirkoswald at Marseilles, where the vessel went to discharge its cargo of sugar from New York on her last outward voyage, according to the Kirkoswald's officers who reached here today on the steamer's return trip.

The bombs were ridden in bags of sugar, taken aboard, ship's officers say, at the Fabre line pier in Brooklyn.

All the bombs were found while unloading the cargo.

The Kirkoswald, flying the British flag, sailed from New York May 2 for Marseilles. This was about the time that the activities of the bomb placers so far as yet disclosed reached their height. Of the three other vessels, which, it was learned recently, sailed out of New York with bombs secreted in their cargo, two departed within a few days of the Kirkoswald. These were the Lord Erne, sailing April 29, and the Bankdale, which left here May 7th.

Like the Kirkoswald, both these vessels were British and both sailed for Havre. The United States secret service and the French government, it was said, have been pressing investigations of these attempts to destroy the vessels. Whether other instances, notably that of the Kirkoswald, were under investigation could not be ascertained here.

The Kirkoswald is a vessel of 4021 tons gross register, is 370 feet long and was built in 1912. She was cleared from this port May 1 by J. W. Elwell & Co., agents of the Fabre line.

STRENUOUS STREET ROW

THREE MEN FINED $20 EACH—GIRL ARRESTED FOR VAGRANCY—OTHER CASES

A street row, which occurred at the corner of Market and Fenwick streets last Wednesday evening, was rehearsed in court today when John Danavaris, Antonis Branioulis and Sturgios Bellios were called on complaints charging them with assault and battery upon Nicholas Zestos. Benjamin J. Maloney appeared for the defendants and entered pleas of not guilty. Daniel J. Donahue represented the complainant.

According to Zestos' story he and two companions were walking along Market street when the trio of defendants rushed upon him. One held his hands, he claimed, while the other two struck him. He said that one of the young men hit him on the head with a piece of wood, inflicting a severe wound.

The defendants denied that any striking was done by more than one man and claimed that the trouble was brought up by the complainant. His Honor found all guilty, however, and fined each $20 and ordered them to recognize in the sum of $100 to keep the peace for six months.

There were three vagrants haled in court. One, a girl of only 17 years, who gave her name as Ida Malhoit of Dover, N. H., was taken to the station early this morning for being on the street late for the third time within a week. She said she roomed on Andover street, but could give no satisfactory explanation as to why she was out so late nights. Judge Enright did not want to send the girl away, however, and ordered the case continued until Monday. Meanwhile an attempt will be made to get in touch with her parents in Dover.

William J. Huntley, vagrancy, expressed a desire to go back to Boston and receive a suspended sentence to the state farm. Frank Lynn pleaded guilty to the same complaint and was committed to the state farm. Joseph H. McBride, arraigned for sentence for being a common drunkard, was given a suspended sentence of six months in the house of correction and two second offenders were fined six dollars each.

STRIKE HOLDS UP FUNERALS

HOBOKEN, N. J., July 10.—A strike of grave diggers at the Hoboken cemetery has resulted in the postponement of 30 funerals. The grave diggers' troubles were due to inability to get their weekly wages because of an injunction suit arising out of the city's recent adoption of commission government. The entire force, 15 in number, have refused to go back to work till their wages are paid.

Meantime the bodies awaiting burial have been placed temporarily in receiving vaults.

STRIKE SETTLED

16,000 Chicago Carpenters Return to Their Jobs

CHICAGO, July 10.—The strike of 16,000 union carpenters which, for nearly two months has paralyzed the building industry in Chicago, is over. Settlement on all points at issue was reached early today after committees representing the carpenters, building construction employers' association and building material interests had been locked in conference since 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The carpenters were ordered to return to work at once.

The settlement was regarded by both sides as a compromise.

DEMANDS PROBE

Gov. Whitman Wants Investigation of Suicide of Frank Holt

NEW YORK, July 10.—Governor Whitman yesterday made a demand on District Attorney Lewis Smith of Nassau county for a detailed report on the suicide of Frank Holt, J. P. Morgan's assailant, who ended his life in the Mineola jail on the eve of exposing his incendiary plots.

The governor, as soon as he gets a statement from the prosecutor, is expected to order an investigation of the whole case from the time Holt was locked in his cell after the attack on J. P. Morgan and placed during the night hours in the care of an aged and inexperienced prison keeper.

Full information as to the guards and jail officials, it is understood, has been demanded by the governor.

The facts standing out yesterday are that Jerry Ryan, 60, was assigned to watch the important prisoner, a criminal bomb maker, on a 12-hour trick, from 8 at night to 8 the following morning. Ryan got this big job when other skilled prison guards were available.

At the inquest into Holt's death held yesterday by Justice of the Peace Walter R. Jones, Ryan admitted he had walked about 10 feet from the cell to investigate a noise. The cell door was left open, he said, and he admitted he had been careless in leaving the corridor door open.

The moment before Holt had appeared to be asleep. Ryan said he heard what sounded like a pistol shot and returning found Holt lying apparently dead about 20 feet from the cell. He denied having been at a hotel some distance away at 10 o'clock that night.

Justice Jones said he had learned that all the cells above the one Holt occupied had been filled that night and that none of the prisoners had seen Holt leave his cell. The justice said he was convinced Holt climbed the grating and jumped to his death. He will file a formal finding next week.

Ryan told Justice Jones he had promised Warden Hulse most faithfully that he would not stir from in front of the cell nor leave Holt unwatched a second. When asked why he had not closed the corridor door, thus at least locking Holt in the corridor, Ryan said: "I suppose that was my fault; carelessness on my part."

"You violated your instructions, then, in leaving Holt alone and unwatched and then neglected to lock the door?" asked Justice Jones.

"Yes, sir; that is so," replied Ryan.

After a consultation with Assistant District Attorney Weeks, Justice Jones decided to hold the inquest open until next Friday.

MAN SHOT AND KILLED

WM. BARNABY'S BODY FOUND IN HOUSE WHERE HE BOARDED

TOWNSEND, July 10.—The discovery today that William E. Barnaby had been shot and killed at the home of Byron Blood, where he boarded, was followed by the detention as material witnesses of Blood and of Joseph Smith and James Brown of Lunenburg. Three sisters of Blood also were questioned.

Hugo Palkinen, a neighbor, reported to the police that he heard shots in the Blood house and when officers investigated they found Barnaby's body. No firearms were found on the premises.

THEY DO SAY

That the police are still investigating that "South common robbery."

That the jitney drivers welcome hangers-on if nobody else does.

That but for the governor the mayor wouldn't have received such a soaking.

That it was a mean man who swiped Winn's horse.

That it doesn't take much to turn the tide of affection at city hall.

That Archie's glasses were Woolworth the money.

That George couldn't see anyhody up at the depot Monday night, June 28th.

That Charlie Morse's new mixer is a concrete, not a cocktail mixer.

That it takes brains as well as money to develop a park system.

That the "dainty lunch" was served at city hall, not on the North common.

That the girl Owen invited brought her fellow along.

That it's funny how it happened with nobody home.

That it's a long, long way to the next holiday.

That the firemen had a good time over the Fourth even if they couldn't spend the day on the common.

That Billy Howe of the South End club lost his hat in an accident on Central street recently.

That business on the midway was rather slack until after the fireworks Monday night.

That Clerk Savage was timid about calling the name of a certain defendant in court Tuesday morning.

That "Packey" Reynolds will be welcomed back to the playgrounds by the youngsters.

That Exilias Paquette prefers Lowell to Quebec especially in these war times.

That it seemed as if half the population of Lowell had machines at the fireworks.

That Patrolman "Bill" Keegan makes a striking chauffeur at the wheel of the new touring car.

That the original heavenly twins, Jewett and Achin, have strong rivals in Duncan and Putnam.

That the police cannot get wise to the fact that all of the "Sunday business isn't done in the hotels.

That some boys of the Highlands don't know the difference between the doorbell and the parlor window.

That little Arthur of Liberty street is the picture of his big brother, Francis.

That Della and Madeline will be greatly missed at the Kasino during the month of August.

That Charlie should leave groceries in Pawtucketville and not gossip with the younger boys.

That there's a city official getting $1600 a year who says he is holding the job for spite.

That it takes the average man about twenty years to realize there is no place like home.

That when it comes to handling a gun in starting track events you've got to hand it to John W. Daly.

That "Reggie" McAdoo has won the reputation of being the style-setter for the young men of North Chelmsford.

That the soldiers who camped at Shedd park over the holidays were very soldierly.

That the coming outing of the employes of the Mears-Adams Shoe Co. will be a grand success.

That the song, "When the Lights Are Low" was never sung by Supt. Welsh although he put on the "dimmers."

That Supt. Gordon might know something about brownfalls but we question his judgment when it comes to fleas.

That the many friends of Swimmer Henry F. Sullivan are with him on his big swim against Sam Richards, the Boston marvel.

That the employes of the Massachusetts and Merrimack mills had the time of their lives the past week on their annual vacation period.

That the fourth annual reunion of St. Joseph's college alumni which will take place Aug. 12 will be the best ever.

That Postmaster Neil Mahoney of North Billerica gets an increase in salary from $1200 to $1300. Congratulations Neil.

That the store clerks are talking of changing their half holiday from Thursday to Wednesday, on account of the rain.

That the fellow who espied the pickpockets working in the crowd in the common should have followed them.

That Arthur Dronin, a former Lowell druggist, is "rolling" bullets for the Canadian army, being a member of the 41st Royal regiment.

That Edward Turnbull, the well known printer, leaves for the coast Tuesday to be gone a month at the Moose convention.

That the fellow who sneaks out early because he knows the boss is away isn't worth "salt for his porridge."

That when a very slim girl wears tan stockings she reminds you of the yellow-legged chickens you used to see way back on the farm.

That some of the girls would look more attractive if they would rub more soap on their necks and less powder on their cheeks.

That a small boy's hands and a big girl's elbows always look as if there wasn't soap and water enough to go around.

That "Gus" Donovan of Lawrence ought to make a capable member of the state industries board, for he was ever an industrious youth.

That it is a pleasure to do a favor for one who is in the least bit appreciative, and that the officials of the Sacred Heart lawn fete rank high in this quality.

That High street ought to be put in first class condition now that the work has been started for it has to its credit 1914 and 1915 appropriations for macadamizing.

That the man who has too much sense to drop a lighted match into a can of gasoline is the same fellow who knows there is no harm in flirting with another man's wife.

That Dr. John F. Fitzgerald received an appreciative letter from Hon. Jas. B. Casey for his courtesy in coming to the recent St. Margaret's party in Lowell.

That "Big Jack" Quinn, the Cambridge postal clerk, the idol of many admiring Lowell girls at Hampton beach last summer, is with the Elks' party in California.

That "Bill" Driscoll has been regaling his friends with thumb-nail sketches of the wild and woolly west and the Golden gate of California since he returned last Sunday.

That hosts of friends of James F. Morrison, the well known chemist, will be gratified to learn he has entirely recovered from his recent illness.

That Dannie O'Dea was not recognized by some of his close friends in Monday's parade. Dannie took the role of a police officer and helped materially in the success of his division.

That the store clerks have been hit hard by the rainy Thursday afternoons, but the weather man promises many pleasant Thursdays ere the summer passes away.

That Garde Frontenac did not get got any prize in the Fourth of July parade, but the concensus of opinion was that the organization was the best marching company in line.

That "Bob" Breckenridge, the popular little photographer of the Courier-Citizen staff, will be greatly missed by his many friends in and out of the newspaper circle.

That only for Sherburne, the winner of the Sacred Heart marathon, taking a cramp when making the hill up Gorham street, he would have clipped several more minutes from the record time.

That Rep. Henry Achin and J. B. Peinault who left Wednesday evening on the governor's party for the Panama-Pacific exposition, will have an interesting story to tell on their return to Lowell.

That the reason why the average man knows his wife wouldn't appreciate a few flowers every now and then when she is alive is because he intends to buy her $5 worth in a bunch when she is dead.

That the old adage, "hunger is sweet" proved itself in the case of the boys of the Eighth regiment when they "feasted" Sunday night on bread, coffee, fried onions and "steak" from the round of beef pretty well down the leg.

That when the poker game breaks up and a brave man announces that his wife never kicks about his staying out late, and that she has confidence in him and never asks him any questions about where he spent the night, he is mentally wondering what kind of a new lie he can tell her when he gets home, and mentally figuring out how big a battle she will put up.

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BRITISH SHIP SUNK

STEAMSHIP ELLESMERE TORPEDOED BY GERMANS OFF THE CORNISH COAST

LONDON, July 10, 1.07 p. m.—The British steamship Ellesmere was shelled and then torpedoed and sunk today by a German submarine off the Cornish coast. The crew of 21 men, with the exception of a Norwegian fireman, who was killed by a shell, were saved.

SIGHTED WRECKED SHIP

OFFICERS OF STEAMER REPORT STEAMSHIP FLOATING BOTTOM UP IN SEA

NEW YORK, July 10.—Officers and passengers on the Russian steamship Czar, that arrived here today from Archangel, said they had sighted in the White sea on June 27 when within a day's run of Archangel an unidentified wrecked steamship floating bottom up in the sea. The Czar steamed around the wreck several times searching for survivors but none was found. Only the letters U. M. L. O. and beneath them the letters O. N. D. O. showed on the vessel's stern.

The bows of the ship were smashed in, evidently by a mine or torpedo.

Frank G. Ormsby of Easton, Pa., one of the passengers who saw the wreck said:

"The ship that I sailed on reached Archangel June 16. We had been warned by wireless to look out for mines. On the day before we arrived two British freighters were struck by mines in the White sea; on June 17 a Norwegian freighter was badly damaged and on June 22 the British steamship Twilight was hit and disabled. Russian warships sent out to search for mines on June 21 destroyed three with gun fire and six more were picked up.

"As no German vessels have been seen in the White sea since the war started it is believed by Russian authorities that German mine planters operating under the Swedish and Norwegian flags are engaged in sowing the mines in the path of vessels entering the Russian port."

REPORT OF DEATHS

Report of Deaths for the Week Ending July 10, 1915

July

1 Lillian F. Golden, 8 m., cap. bronchitis.
3 Margaret Riley, 68, chronic nephritis.
Maurice J. Quinn, 65, arterio-sclerosis.
John Hart, 59, pellagra.
Catherine D. Rodger, 70, ac. peritonitis.
4 Julia E. Borden, 62, arterio-sclerosis.
Joseph Gonsalves, 9 m., gastro-enteritis.
Mary Fiallio, 8 m., gastro-enteritis.
5 Eugene Shoughro, 70, arterio-sclerosis.
6 Damase Goudreau, 30, tuberculosis of lungs.
——— Fanning, 1 min., prem. birth.
7 Lodovico M. Stagnone, 6 m., dysentery.
Harriet A. Slater, 69, disease of heart
Edith R. Cummings, 16, phthisis pulmonalis.
William N. Burns, 7, peritonitis.
8 Marie Covalski, 1 d., heart disease.
Sarah Faber, 5, intestinal obstruction.
Ann F. Coleman, 70, gastro-enteritis.
9 Lester Howard, 20, ac. appendicitis.
Matilda Fratus, 4 m., gastro-enteritis.
Joseph St. George, 39, pneumonia.

Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

FROHMAN'S ESTATE

NEW YORK, July 10.—Application for letters of administration of the estate of Charles Frohman, naming Daniel Frohman, a brother, and Alf. Hayman, general manager of Mr. Frohman's theatrical affairs, as administrators, was filed yesterday in the surrogate court here. Charles Frohman died when the Lusitania went down.

The value of the personal property was estimated in the papers as "not exceeding $350,000." The value of the real property was said to be unknown.

COMATOS AGAIN IN COURT

Murder Suspect Brought Up on Continuance—Case Again Put Over—Giakas Also in Dock

John Comatos, the man held for the murder of John Demos in a tenement block at 2 Elm place on the night of Wednesday, June 30, was arraigned on continuance before Judge Enright in police court this forenoon. At the request of Deputy Downey, prosecuting officer, defendant was held until July 19 without bail. This continuance was agreed to by Attorneys Jas. F. Owens and Benjamin J. Moloney for the defendant.

At the same time Athanasius Giakas, alias Arthur George, alias George Giakas, was ordered to recognize in the sum of $2000 for his appearance in the local court on that day to give evidence. Since the conclusion of the preliminary hearing on the inquest yesterday, Giakas has been detained at the station, not being able to secure surety. Today he was taken to the Lowell jail together with Comatos.

When Giakas was ordered held as a witness, Attorney Daniel J. Donahue informed the court that Giakas had retained him as counsel. Mr. Donahue requested that the government be instructed not to question the man unless he were present.

Both men were brought into court at the same time by Court Officer Philip Dwyer and placed in the dock during the formal reading of the complaint. Comatos seemed little disturbed by the court proceedings and after the continuance had been agreed to he followed the court officer down stairs to a cell again. Giakas, who furnished $500 bail on a larceny charge, was next continued and then taken downstairs and later in the patrol to the Lowell jail. Harry Demaris acted as interpreter.

BATTLE NEAR CAPITAL

GEN. GONZALES AND TROOPS NOW BUT TWO MILES FROM MEXICO CITY

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Despatches to the Carranza agency today say Gen. Gonzales and his troops attacking Mexico City have now penetrated to Villa de Guadeloupe, about two miles from the capital. Heretofore all fighting has been in the outer suburbs.

SUNK BY SUBMARINES

ITALIAN AND NORWEGIAN STEAMERS SENT TO THE BOTTOM TODAY

LONDON, July 10, 2 p. m.—The steamship Clio (presumably Italian) and the Norwegian steamer Nordas were torpedoed and sunk today by German submarines.

FOSS GIVES $100,000

PLEDGED TO PROHIBITION CAUSE—HOBSON'S CANDIDACY FOR PRESIDENCY NOT WELCOMED

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 10.—Former Governor Foss of Massachusetts has pledged $100,000 to the cause of prohibition. Neither officials of the Anti-Saloon league convention nor Mr. Foss himself would confirm or deny the announcement, which was conveyed unofficially about the convention floor yesterday, but it was admitted that Mr. Foss had "treated the cause very liberally." Mr. Foss was cheered loudly for more than five minutes.

Congressman Richmond Pearson Hobson is gunning for nomination by the prohibitionists as their presidential standard bearer for 1916, in the opinion of many of the anti-saloon delegates who heard him address the convention, but all his ambitions will come to naught, because the convention yesterday passed resolutions declaring for the preservation of the non-partisan character of the movement.

$3,000,000,000 LOAN

SUBSCRIPTIONS OF GREATEST WAR LOAN IN HISTORY CLOSED TODAY

LONDON, July 10, 10.20 a. m.—Subscriptions ranging from $500 upwards to the greatest war loan in the history of the world closed automatically at the Bank of England at 1 o'clock today except for applications posted up to midnight. Government authorities adhere strictly to the iron rule to refuse information regarding the amount applied for, but in the opinion of the city the response must have been gratifying. The total amount of new money subscribed is estimated at $3,000,000,000.

JUMP IN AUTO LICENSES

New York Leads All Other States in Returns According to Latest Figures

ALBANY, July 10.—According to the latest figures of Secretary of State Hugo, 200,189 motorists had registered their machines up to and including July 8 since February 1.

This breaks all records and is far in advance of the registration of motor vehicles at the same time last year, which on July 8, 1914, totalled 149,653 cars. The present figures put New York state far in the van of other states in the licensing of automobiles, as well as in the amount of money turned into the state treasury from this source. The figures follow:

February 1 to July 8, 1915, owners and dealers, 200,189; chauffeurs, 67,738; receipts $1,667,609.

February 1 to July 8, 1914, owners and dealers, 149,653; chauffeurs, 56,939; receipts, $1,372,298.

Total for 1914, owners and dealers, 170,171; chauffeurs, 67,170; receipts, $1,533,367.

ST. COLUMBA'S GARDEN PARTY

The annual garden party of St. Columba's church will be held on the church grounds in Mammoth road on Wednesday and Thursday, July 14 and 15. Extensive preparations for this gala event have been in progress for some time and it promises to be attended by pronounced success. One of the chief features will be the Baby Show on Wednesday afternoon. Those in charge expect the largest number of babies ever entered in any contest here. Mrs. John Monahan and Miss Catherine McDermott will receive entries on the church grounds on Wednesday between 1 and 2.30 p. m. Only babies under two years of age will be eligible in the contest. Other pleasing features have been arranged for the party and a good time is in store for all who attend.

FED 2000 SOLDIERS

R. J. HARVEY HAD BIG CATERING CONTRACT AT THE NORTH COMMON LAST MONDAY

One of the biggest catering feats that has been performed in this city for some time was accomplished in a most commendable manner by R. J. Harvey on Monday last when he fed approximately 2000 militiamen on the North common. Mr. Harvey's catering establishment is located at 572 Gorham street. He entered his bid for the big holiday event some time ago and was awarded the contract by the city authorities.

A great multitude of Lowell people and visitors from out of town gathered at the North common to see the soldiers receive their "rations." It was surely a scene well worth witnessing, and everyone marveled at the speedy and systematic manner in which the big proposition was carried out.

In preparing for this occasion Mr. Harvey gave a local fish dealer one of the very largest orders he has ever received, for he bought one-half ton of salmon as a portion of the menu. The bill of fare which he selected was an excellent one. Besides the salmon there were green peas, new potatoes, rolls, butter, ice cream and coffee. Each of the companies had a table allotted to it and at each table an officer was in charge. The food was arranged on the tables and the men gathered about and were given their portions. All were highly pleased with the quality of the food and the service, and Mr. Harvey received many compliments on the efficient manner in which he carried out his contract.

Mr. Harvey was a very busy man during the holidays. On Sunday night he fed Battery C at Shedd park where they were encamped. In this gathering there were about 30 men and the manner in which they were served was a credit to the caterer and his force of men. Mr. Harvey also prepared breakfast for this battery on Monday morning.

Another big job which Mr. Harvey accomplished was that of catering for the Spanish War Veterans, numbering about 150, in a large hall which they hired in Worthen street for the occasion. This took place after the parade on Monday.

For these events Mr. Harvey secured a large additional force of help and his payroll for Sunday and Monday represented a large amount of money.

Mr. Harvey started in the catering business a comparatively short time ago and his business has rapidly increased from the very first. He makes a specialty of clambakes, outings, etc. Today he will cater for the republican outing at Bunting club grounds, and the order for this occasion calls for 1500 plates.

PERSONALS

Mrs. D. H. Varnum has gone to Beachwood, Me.

Mrs. Austin K. Chadwick is at Scarboro beach, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Hood are at Magnolia.

Dr. Return J. Meigs and family will spend the summer at Rye beach.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Munn Andrews are at Twin Pond, Me.

Leo Beatmont is the guest of friends at the Essex cottage, Salisbury beach.

Mrs. Bessie F. Tuff of Denver, Colo., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Francis of 179 Pleasant street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Dunbar have opened their summer home at Marblehead.

Misses Della Kelley of Lakeview avenue and Agnes Boyle of Fletcher street are at Salisbury beach.

Miss Lillian Skidmore of 198 Shaw street is spending the month of July at her home in Springhill, N. S.

Mrs. R. A. Davis and daughter, Mrs. C. Schultz, and Mrs. Schultz's children have gone to Hedding, N. H.

Mrs. Joseph Murray and Miss Sue Murray of Mammoth road are visiting in Maine and New Brunswick.

Mrs. Mary Jane Marsden, of 137 Perry street, New Bedford, is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. William Pomfret, of 30 Barker street this city. She will later visit Mr. and Mrs. John Emondson, of Raynham, Mass.

59 PANAMA BABIES IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, July 10.—Fifty-nine babies, all born in the Canal zone, arrived yesterday aboard the Panama Railroad company steamship Panama from Christobal. The mothers and most of the fathers were along, bound on vacation in the Temperate zone.

It is said that babies form a large part of the native population of the Canal zone, most of them born of American parents.

Other passengers by the Panama were Bishop A. K. Knight, president of Suwanee college, Tennessee; William Spencer, secretary of the American Legation at Panama, and Capt. C. E. Lull.

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B.&M. CAR SHOPS

Full Time Schedule Put in Operation Today—Business Good

The Boston & Maine repair shops in Billerica, which have been operating on a five day a week schedule for many months, this week started to run five hours on Saturday as a result of an increase in business. Though the employes will now work but 45 hours per week, it is understood they will receive pay for 48 hours, a half holiday on Saturday being given them by the company.

Since the curtailment last year the big shops, where over a thousand hands are employed, have operated but five eight-hour days a week. The large amount of work coming into the shops daily from all over the division has necessitated the opening of the plant on Saturday afternoons, beginning today, and the full force reported at the shops this morning at 7 o'clock and will work until 1 this afternoon. The working hours during the other days are from 8 a. m. to 4.30 p. m. with a half hour for dinner.

Although the majority of the employes welcome the promise of better business, it is stated that the men who still reside in Concord and Keene, N. H., will make an effort to work five nine-hour days a week and close on Saturdays, making the same total number of hours. This request is made so that the residents of the Granite state will have an opportunity to spend the week-ends with their families as they have been doing for the past year. While the authorities will not promise this schedule, it is intimated that in the near future operations will begin at the plant at 7 o'clock on Saturdays and suspend at noon, so that the New Hampshire men may get an earlier start for their respective homes.

RUSSIAN WAR REPORT

PETROGRAD, July 9, via London, July 10, 4.55 a. m.—The following official statement was issued tonight at the headquarters of the Russian general staff:

"Operations in the Shavli region, west of the Niemen, on the Narew front and on the left of the Vistula, have been without important changes.

"On the Bobr, below Ossowetz, near the village of Brjostovo, an attempt by the enemy to bridge the river was frustrated by our fire and the bridge was destroyed.

"We captured an enemy aeroplane in the valley of the Pissa.

"In the sector of Jednorowjetz-Przasnysz there have been lively artillery duels and isolated engagements.

"In the direction of Boltmow near the village of Goumine, the enemy was unable to advance at any point in spite of the use by him of asphyxiating gases and we continue to occupy our original positions.

"In the direction of Lublin our offensive has developed in the entire region from the confluence of the Poblife brook to a point south of Bychawa (north of Krasnik.) The enemy continues to retire while trying to stop our advance and offered particularly stubborn resistance on Hill 118 south of the village of Vikolazgorny. The number of prisoners taken by us thus far exceeds 15,000.

"On the Bug, Zlota Lipa and Dniester rivers there has been no change, beyond a fruitless attack on the village of Kouwach on the Bug. Our patrols have reconnoitered the entire front during the last 24 hours and made hundreds of prisoners. The enemy left on our front 500 killed and wounded."

HAS NOT YET RECOVERED

Mrs. Kozakiewicz Still Suffers From Her Experience in the War Zone in Galicia

Mrs. Kozakiewicz, wife of the East Merrimack dye house proprietor, who returned recently from Galicia, where most of the heavy fighting on the eastern frontier took place, and who underwent untold privations during her stay there, has not yet quite recovered from the nervous strain brought on undoubtedly by her trying experiences.

Mrs. Kozakiewicz was in Warsaw when the fighting was most intense, and for eight days she was forced to stay in a cellar while the shrapnel and steel of the opposing armies fell all around the house in which she was hiding with her little daughter.

Mrs. Kozakiewicz says the soldiers in the Russian hospitals are receiving the best of care, and many of them hate to leave when their time is up. She also says the soldiers taken prisoners by the Russians are subjected to all kinds of hardships. Many of the people who have been driven from their homes and have seen relatives killed by shells have gone insane as a result of the war in Galicia.

In one small hall in Warsaw, Mrs. Kozakiewicz saw over 200 grown people and about 100 children quartered, sleeping and eating together. Mrs. Kozakiewicz made the journey from the stricken country to the United States with a great deal of difficulty, and you may be sure she was glad to get back among her people in this city. Since that time, however, she has had much sickness, but is slowly recovering from the effect of the awful scenes witnessed in the war zones.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SUBMARINES FOR NAVY

WASHINGTON, July 10.—The next building program for the United States navy will include estimates for nearly double the number of submarines appropriated for by the last session of congress. From officials in close touch with the administration plans for the navy, it was learned last night that, while the general board would wait until September before making its recommendations, at least 30, and probably more, submarines certainly would be requested.

Some naval officers of high rank, who are being criticized, think that as many as 50 of 75 submarines would not be too many, but those who are taking into account the necessity for enlarging other parts of the navy program believe a conservative estimate of the number which eventually will be agreed upon is about 30. The last congress in three sessions authorized 26 submarines, and the United States has a total now of nearly 70 in commission or building.

Within two years the total, it is estimated, may be brought up to 100 under-sea craft.

REPORT OF BIRTHS

June

15—To Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Horan, of 102 Stevens street, a daughter.

17—To Mr. and Mrs. Jozef Pilard, of 27 Front street, a daughter.

20—To Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hill, of 27 Bellevue street, a son.

24—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Huckins, of 5 Mission Place, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Pasterczyp, of 100 Tilden street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. James McCarthy, of 4 Blossom street court, a son.

25—To Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Banach, of 4 rear of South street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace Suter, Jr., of 107 Holyrood avenue, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson, of 19 Epping street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Campbell, of 43 Marion street, a son.

26—To Mr. and Mrs. John Kucinski, of 231 Gorham street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Whittemore, of 240 West Manchester street, a son.

To Mr and Mrs. Ralph Ritchotte, of 756 Central street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McGagh, of 207 Appleton street, a daughter.

27—To Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Plarido, of 21 Webster street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Marcin Wacylak, of 30 West Fourth street, a daughter.

28—To Mr. and Mrs. Dennis A. Donohoe, of 710 Central street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John J. Canney, of 34 Burns street, a son.

29—To Mr. and Mrs. Franciszek Wrobel, of 8 Beharrel avenue, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bouchee, of 17 Dodge street, a daughter.

30—To Mr and Mrs. Andrew Drubis, of 400 Adams street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Andritsopoulos, of 11 Tremont street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jean B. Guilbault, of 339 West Sixth street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murry, of 38 Aiken avenue, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hemlund, of 16 Agawam street, a daughter.

July

1—To Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hovanjian, of 42 Third street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morin, of 225 Cheever street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Panagalopoulos, of 116 Dummer street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Savard, of 61 Branch street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. William J. Mitchell, of 228 Cross street, a daughter.

2—To Mr. and Mrs. Hermidas Lemire, of 635 Middlesex street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wormall, of 122 Quebec street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs Edouard Pratte, of 309 West Sixth street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Chiannakos, of 85 Jefferson street, a son.

3—To Mr. and Mrs. George Paspasina, of 3 Little street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lamphinacos of 631 Market street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Lussier, of 55 Salem street, a daughter.

4—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Seket, of 8 Bay State court, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ourer Lemire, of of 534 Moody street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. David April, of 251 Cheever street, a son.

5—To Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Mape, of 45 Fisher street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nallvika, of 104 Charles street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Slysc, of 123 Railroad street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Landry, of 161 Avon street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Percy E. Suttle, of 21 Sixth avenue, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Holt, of 712 Gorham street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter O. Burgess, of 10 North Franklin court, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sousa, of 1016 Gorham street, a daughter.

6—To Mr. and Mrs. John Garveda, of 72 Charles street, a son.

7—To Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Lauff, of 35 Lilley avenue, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Earl R. McLeod, 48 Hastings street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. James McCrandle, of 90 Appleton street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lemire, of 246 Cheever street, a son.

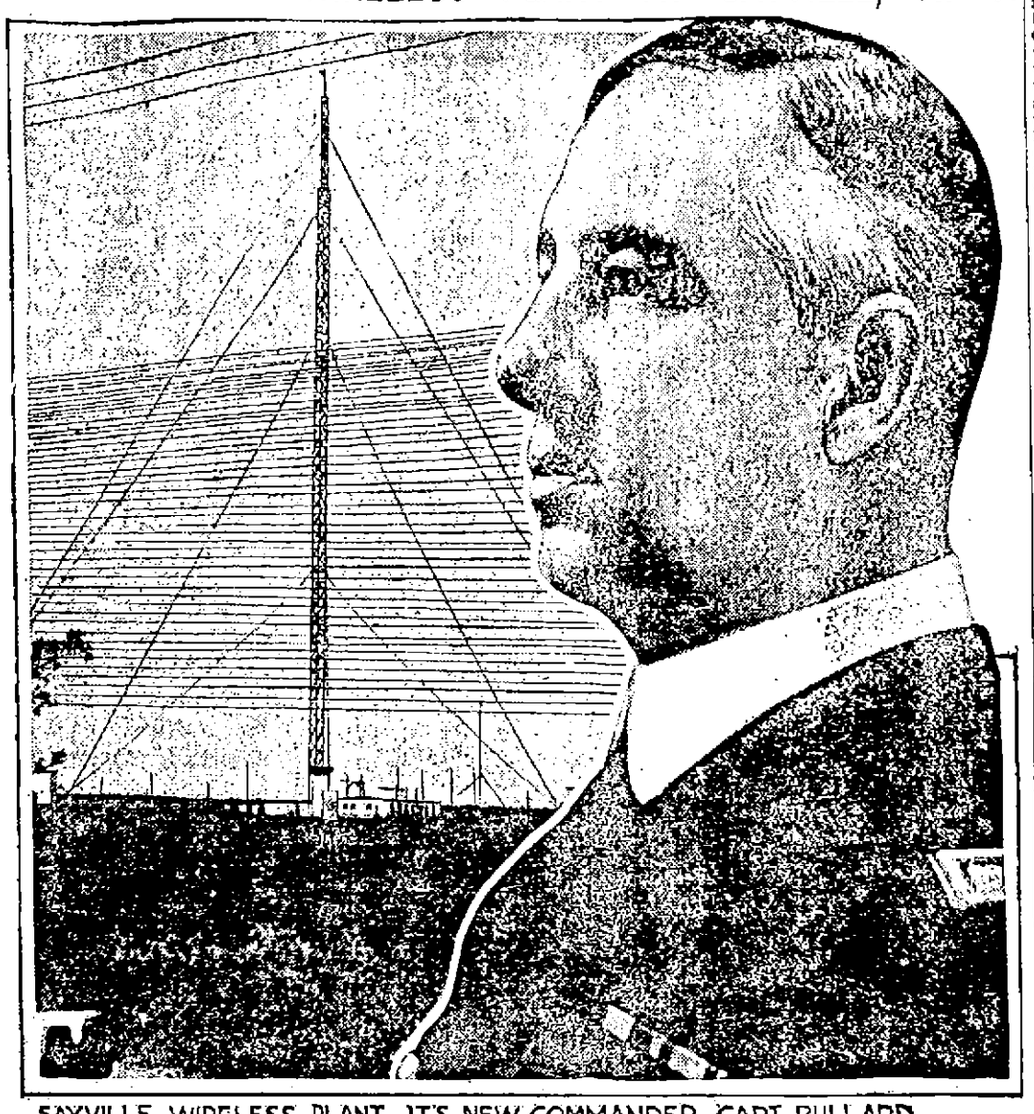
8—To Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Sophas, of 83 Mt. Vernon street, a daughter.

"MUSCULAR CHRISTIANITY"

CHICAGO, July 10. — "Muscular Christianity" found a prominent place on the program of the Christian Endeavor convention program today in a field meet at Stagg field, University of Chicago.

Relay races, sprints, the mile run, jumping and the shot put were open to all delegates.

UNITED STATES NAVY NOW CONTROLS WIRELESS PLANT AT SAYVILLE, N. Y.



SAYVILLE WIRELESS PLANT. IT'S NEW COMMANDER, CAPT. BULLARD.

In the interest of American neutrality and to avoid contravention of The Hague convention forbidding the establishment of belligerent wireless stations on neutral soil during a war, the United States government has refused to grant a license to the Atlantic Communication company for the operation of the great German wireless station at Sayville, N. Y., and will take over at once the operation, management and control of that station. The navy department notified Congressman A. Metz, president of the company, of the decision of the government to take over the plant, and Captain William H. G. Bullard, superintendent of the United States naval station at Arlington, Va., assumed charge of it, having been sent to New York city for the purpose. The decision to take this step was reached after a series of conferences between Secretary Lansing, Secretary Redfield and Secretary Daniels of the navy. It followed the receipt of a communication from President Wilson at Cornish, N. H., in which he approved their course.

PRES. WILSON PLAYS GOLF

CORNISH, N. H., July 10.—President Wilson went out for his morning round of golf today before the news reached his summer home that the text of the latest German note on submarine warfare had been cabled to the United States for publication in this morning's newspapers.

President Wilson will remain here over Sunday. He has not made definite arrangements for returning to Washington to discuss the German note with his advisers. If possible, he will return here as soon as he has finished consideration of the note and the position to be taken by the United States.

CHASED WITH BLOODHOUNDS

SHAW, Miss., July 10.—After an all-day search by posses with bloodhounds, Homer and John Wilson, father-in-law and brother-in-law respectively of J. C. Davis, who was shot and killed near here were captured and placed in jail charged with murder.

FOR EXALTED RULER

LOS ANGELES, July 10.—The man who, rumor has it, will be the next exalted ruler of the Elks, is in the city. He is James R. Nicholson of Boston, chairman of the board of grand trustees.

FRENCH WAR REPORT

PARIS, July 10, 2.35 p. m.—The French war department today issued the following statement:

"In the region to the north of Arras certain attempts at attack on the part of the Germans last night directed against our positions on the road from Angres to Souchez were repulsed. At the Labyrinth there was fighting last night with hand grenades, but without making a change in the front line of one side or the other.

"In the Champagne district, along the front between Perthes and Beausejour, between Hill No. 196 and the fort a German attack was met by the fire of our infantry and artillery and dispersed with perceptible losses.

"In Lorrain the enemy, numbering a battalion, attacked our positions near Leintrey, but they were repulsed.

"There is nothing to report otherwise for the night with the exception of certain artillery engagements, notably in the forest of Apremont, in the forest of Le Pretre and at Fontenelle, where the enemy did not deliver any counter-attack, but contented themselves with directing artillery fire on two different occasions against the positions they had lost.

"A recount of the prisoners made in the combat of July 8 gives a total of 881, including 21 officers.

"French aviators yesterday bombarded the railroad stations at Arnaville and Bayonville as well as the military barracks at Norroy. Twenty-two shells and 1000 steel arrows were thrown down."

REFUSES U. S. DEMANDS

Continued

undertone of disappointment and apprehension over what Ambassador Gerard informed the state department that the German note would contain. The feeling has been, however, that nothing formal or official could be said concerning the American position until the official text arrived. President Wilson has been giving quiet consideration to the character of the reply and some of his advisers have already been making suggestions with reference to the course that should be pursued.

Analyzing the Answer

Analyzing the German answer today, officials found little on which it appeared that the negotiations could be further prolonged. The United States had devoted its attention to the principle that Americans should be able to travel on the high seas on unarmed and unresisting belligerent merchant ships of any nationality in accordance with previously recognized principles of international law. Assurances had been asked that before any destruction would be attempted, the visit and search of peaceful vessels and the transfer of passengers and crew to a place of safety would be accomplished. It was recognized that Germany in its latest note had ignored this vital question and had shifted, now emphasizing the conditions under which it would promise complete immunity from danger to Americans traveling even on American ships, a situation which, since Germany's circular note with reference to neutral vessels received on May 11, had not been called into question.

Violation of 1828 Treaty

The expression of Germany of a confident hope that the United States "will assume to guarantee that those vessels have no contraband on board, details of arrangements for the unhampered passage of these vessels to be agreed upon by naval authorities of both sides" left the implication in the minds of many officials that Germany was prepared to destroy American passenger ships if they were found to be carrying contraband. Even though passengers and crew of a neutral ship were transferred to a place of safety the destruction of the vessel for carrying contraband has been held by the United States to be in violation of international law except in an extreme case. With reference to destruction of American ships such destruction has been held specifically to be in violation of the Prussian-American treaty of 1828. It was recalled that in the last note which Germany sent on the Frye case, this treaty was given a new interpretation in that the right to stop American ships carrying contraband and even to destroy them was declared for the first time to be a natural inference from the language of the treaty.

Uphold Sinking of Lusitania

The reference in the new note to the Lusitania tragedy created a profound impression. After having asked the United States in the first place to consider that the Lusitania was in reality an armed auxiliary cruiser and carried high explosives, which the American government in its note contradicted with official information, the German government, it now seemed, had formally justified the action of the submarine commander in sinking the vessel, thereby refusing to disavow the act as the United States had requested. The statement that the German submarine commander could not have halted the vessel without submitting his boat and crew to danger of destruction and the assertion that it was not expected that the Lusitania would sink immediately after being torpedoed, but would remain afloat while passengers were removed to her boats, was taken to mean that Germany held that regardless of whether the Lusitania was armed the submarine commander took a proper course in torpedoing the ship without warning.

England's Blockade

The argument that England by violating international law in her embargo on neutral commerce with Germany had begun a policy of starvation for Germany's civilian population was viewed by officials as entirely irrelevant. The United States has insisted that its relations with one belligerent are not to be confounded with its controversies with another and that the Lusitania case constitutes a separate question which must be settled apart from any negotiations this government may have with other nations. It was recalled by some officials that Herr von Jagow, the German foreign minister, only recently in a published interview announced that England had not succeeded in starving Germany and that the blockade policy had been a failure. In view of this announcement officials were not inclined to attach much weight to the starvation argument.

The view that Americans on board belligerent ships were entitled to no more protection than neutrals would be on land in a war zone, was vigorously disputed by officials, who pointed out that jurisdiction of the belligerent on land was complete, while the high seas are jointly owned by all nations.

Certain of Rejection

The only definite proposal made by Germany to change the present status—the suggestion that four enemy ships could sail under the American flag if neutral passenger facilities proved inadequate—was considered certain of rejection because, aside from other considerations of principle involved, the United States could not undertake to guarantee any interference with the lawful shipment of contraband from its shores to any of the belligerents. Not only is there no federal statute which could be invoked in this connection, it was pointed out, but it always has been recognized as a fundamental right of merchants in neutral countries to trade in contraband, the burden being upon the belligerent to capture the cargoes on the high seas. Officials wondered today what influences had caused the German government to completely disregard the American point of view. There were intimations that in Berlin official quarters the belief prevailed that in the United States public sentiment was divided since Mr. Bryan's resognation and that the separation of passenger and contraband traffic was favored here as a means of compromising the issue.

The full text of the German reply will be found on the last page.

$65,000 FIRE AT PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Me., July 10.—Fire late yesterday afternoon in the office building and cabinet department of the Delano Mill company, corner of Fore and Cross streets, caused at least $65,000 damage.

It was discovered by Edward Verge, a watchman, who was driven back by a burst of flame and reached the street with his clothes on fire. He was sent to the Maine General hospital and, while badly burned, will recover.

Fireman M. J. Cady of engine 4 received bad cuts on his hands while trying to open a window. For a moment a great mass of flame and smoke drove the firemen back, but under the direction of Chief Butler they finally succeeded in saving the walls of the buildings. The interior was burned out.

BRIDE DROWNED

WOLFBORO, N. H., July 10.—Mrs. Thomas A. Gallagher was drowned in Lake Wentworth here yesterday. She was the wife of Thomas A. Gallagher of 17 Ames street, Lynn, to whom she was married in Brookline a few days ago.

The couple was passing a three weeks' honeymoon here. On July 5 they were visited by the parents of the groom, who left their automobile for the use of the young couple.

HUERTA WAVES HEARING

HELD IN $15,000 BONDS WHICH HE REFUSES TO FURNISH—A PRISONER AT FORT BLISS

EL PASO, Tex., July 10.—Gen. Victoriano Huerta waived preliminary hearing on charges of conspiracy to violate the United States neutrality laws late yesterday and was held under $15,000 bond for the federal grand jury at San Antonio, Dec. 20. He declined to furnish bond and was removed to Fort Bliss, where he will be guarded by federal marshals.

Immediately, Generals Ygnacio Bravo, Edouardo Caus, Jose Delgado and Enrique Corostieta and J. B. Ratner waived preliminary hearing, but all excepting Bravo furnished bond to appear at San Antonio.

General Bravo, who is 82 years old and has served 60 years in the Mexican army, was released on his personal recognizance. The bonds of the others, which had been fixed at $15,000 each, were reduced. Caus' bond was fixed at $2500; the others at $5000 each. Their bondsmen are local bankers.

General Huerta asked permission to speak in his own defense, but was dissuaded by his attorney.

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EVENING MAKE UP

The art of evening make up is no hit or miss affair. It requires utmost cleverness and sophistication to so simulate nature that nobody will ever be deceived. Yet any woman can touch up her face so it will look ten years younger under electric light, if she is careful. Once yield to haste and carelessness, however, and the secret is out.

The evening make-up may be more elaborate than the daytime one. First bathe the face in luke warm water to which a pinch of borax has been added to soften the skin. Then go over the face and neck with cold cream, wiping it off with a soft cloth. Now apply the liquid rouge and remember that all faces do not require rouge in the same places. Rouge high on cheeks and near the nose makes the face youthful. Much rouge on the outer side of the cheeks gives a hard sophisticated, middle-aged look.

The plumper the face is the less rouge should be used on the edges and the more toward the center. Put a little rouge on the chin, less if it is prominent, more if it recedes. The ear lobes should be touched with rouge for a dead white ear is never youthful.

Now go over the neck and face with liquid white powder, blending the edges softly and not forgetting the upper lid and hollow under the eyebrow. Spread on the liquid powder with a bit of absorbent cotton. Next take a stick of flesh colored grease paint and very delicately go over the hollows under the eyes, rubbing the grease paint in well with the finger tip.

Last come the eyebrows and the lips. Apply the lip stick very delicately to the lips, a little more generously to the lower lip which should look full and youthful. The eyebrows if thick need only be brushed and shaped. If thin they may be lightly pencilled with black and brown powder well mixed.

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THE TOWN OF BILLERICA

Women Appointed Public Weighers—New Well System—Special Town Meeting Monday Night

With three women public weighers on its list of appointments, Billerica claims the distinction of being the only town in the United States with more than one woman holding this public office. Recently the town of Norwood boasted of being the only town in the country to have a woman performing the duties of the office of public weigher, but the Billerica board of selectmen came to the front recently and put the town in the limelight by the appointment of three competent women of the town, who have been sworn and are now eligible to do public weighing.

The women are Miss Nellie L. Rogers of Billerica Centre, employed as a bookkeeper and accountant at the coal and grain office of Elmer E. Cole; Miss Bertha E. Dimmock of Billerica centre, engaged in similar work at Morey's grain office, and Mrs. Maria Elwood, proprietor of a grocery store at North Billerica, who holds a key to the public scales near Talbot's mills at North Billerica.

The appointments were made by Selectmen Sanford, Wright and Manning. Miss Rogers has for several years worked as bookkeeper in Cole's office while Miss Dimmock is a more recent attache to the Morey establishment. Mrs. Elwood has been proprietor of a grocery store at the North village since the death of her husband several years ago. It is stated that the women are very capable of performing their duties and just as dependable as men. They have received the congratulations of suffragists in this section on account of her appointments.

Special Meeting

The coming special meeting of the town of Billerica, scheduled to take place in the town hall Monday evening, entails the appropriation of large sums of money and for that reason it is expected that considerable interest will be shown, especially by the large tax-payers, who will be called upon the burden the expense of many improvements this year. Large sums of money are wanted for water extensions and new roads while $1200 is also desired for a new fire station. The article asking for the appropriation of $300 for a baseball diamond on the Charles Kohlrausch playground is being championed by the younger element of the town who point out the fact that there is no good baseball diamond available at the present time.

New Wells

The question of new driven wells to insure the town's increased water supply is being considered by officials of the water department. It is a well known fact that more wells are needed to grant the demand of the Boston & Maine shops and townspeople. Test wells have been driven on the opposite side of the road from the Billerica pumping station and samples of the water have been sent to the authorities at the state house and reported all right. It is now proposed to buy a new track of land and drive 45 wells, but permission to borrow the money has not yet been voted by the town and hence the work is halted.

New High School

The ground will soon be broken for the new $50,000 high school to be erected on Main street, Billerica Centre, on land recently purchased from the Joshua Bennett estate. The school, the plans of which have already been outlined in The Sun, will be one of the most beautiful in this section and will be modern in every way. A member of the committee in charge of the plans stated that the building would probably not be ready for occupancy until a year from September.

Town Farm

The Billerica town farm is being renovated according to the recommendation of the state board of health. The buildings at the institution were recently inspected by state authorities who declared that either a new poor-farm would have to be constructed or extensive alterations made. After careful consideration it was decided to change over the present buildings and contracts for the work were recently awarded. The improvements include new plumbing, bathrooms, painting and alterations, and Billerica is assured of an up-to-date institution for its paupers ere many weeks have passed away.

Twilight Baseball

The Twilight Baseball league, recently organized by Manager Frank Mullin, one of the most enthusiastic fans in the town, is now going along splendidly and large crowds are attracted to the games regularly. The league is composed of three teams and five innings are played each night, 10 innings making a full game. Considerable friendly rivalry exists between the teams as there will be a cash prize for the winner of the pennant, a prize for the man scoring the most runs and others. The captains of the three teams are Frank Mahoney, Warren Switzer and John Maxwell.

The schedule for the remainder of July is: Blues vs. Grays, July 12; Reds vs. Blues, July 13; Grays vs. Reds, July 15; Blues vs. Grays, July 16; Reds vs. Blues, July 19; Grays vs. Reds, July 20; Blues vs. Grays, July 22; Grays vs. Reds, July 23; Reds vs. Blues, July 26; Blues vs. Grays, July 27; Grays vs. Reds, July 29; Reds vs. Blues, July 30. The Blues were called Fennways, Grays were called Ovals and the Reds were formerly known as Fordways.

Talbot Mills

Several departments of the Talbot mills have been working overtime for the past week in an effort to get out some samples in a hurry. It was stated that no large order has been secured as yet.

Work on the new parish house for St. Andrew's church is being rushed along as rapidly as possible, although the unfavorable weather has checked the operations considerably. The building will probably be finished in another month if the weather is favorable.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

A Central American revolution in the making and in actual process of "revolting" is admirably shown at the B. F. Keith theatre, in the big Metro production of "Fighting Bob," which will be given its two final presentations this afternoon and evening. Hundreds of greasers are impressed into service for the picture, while the principals are, Orrin Johnson and Olive Wyndham, two of the best known performers on the legitimate stage. Johnson has the title role, that of a high class Central American who has been educated in the United States, and who returns to his native land to find rebellion seething. The troops which are ordered by his father, the president, to put down the rebellion, are ambuscaded and badly beaten, and then "Bob" goes to the rescue with some fresh forces and stamps out the insurrection. Through it all runs a very pretty love story, and one which has a charming ending. The picture is in five parts and over 300 separate scenes are shown. A Charlie Chaplin picture, one of the laugh-compelling sort, is shown, and in addition there are several other short ones. Tomorrow afternoon a specially engaged bill will be presented, and the first three days of next week "Cora," with Emily Stevens in the title part will be the feature.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

If you fail to visit the home of the big organ, today, you are missing one of the best moving picture bills of the season. Manager White is staging another of his double Paramount bills, featuring Miss Maude Allan, the well known dancer, in "The Rug Maker's Daughter," and putting on as an additional feature, a splendid, thrilling, five act war drama entitled "Brother Officers." The Paramount guarantee of the best possible in film land stands behind both pictures. Besides these two head-liners, there are plenty of other reels, including side-splitting comedy. The show has already made good; the rest is up to you. Big all-feature show for Sunday.

LAKEVIEW PARK

There is always a variety of wholesome entertainment to be found at Lakeview park and of a kind that is pleasing to both old and young. At the theatre, a fine program of the latest moving pictures are shown both afternoon and evening and on the outdoor stage are seen every week, excellent vaudeville acts, all free to patrons of Lakeview. Next week the management have booked as the free outdoor attraction, The Aerial Barbours, a clever gymnastic team who will be seen in many remarkable feats of strength. The Barbours will appear every afternoon and evening during the week, at 4 p. m. and 8 p. m. The pictures to be shown at the theatre will include a number of the latest productions, pictures that have never been seen in Lowell or vicinity before. Sunday afternoon and evening Talbot's Sixth regiment band will be heard in a popular and attractive program.

CANOBIE LAKE PARK

Today and tomorrow will afford the lovers of motion pictures a final opportunity to enjoy that greatest of all film masterpieces "The Christian," at Canobie Lake park theatre. This, Hall Caine's greatest love story, is a film that has drawn millions of film fans all over the country and with such famous and popular stars as Edith Storey and Earle Williams playing the principal roles supported by the pick of the big Vitagraph company of players, it can well be imagined that the production is well up to the usual quality of Vitagraph offerings.

In the afternoon the theatre will be open with free admission to all during the rendition of a brilliant band concert by the Nashua Military band, Ralph W. Holt, director, the concert starting at 3 o'clock and continuing until 5 o'clock. The following program will be offered by this crack musical organization:

March, "Captain Anderson"
Overture, "Wondrous Hope"
Selection, "High Jinks"
Popular Medley, selected
Xylophone, "William Tell Fantasia," Mr. A. M. Bennett
Suite,
a Pomposity
b Simplicity
c Coquetry
Concert waltz, "Newport Casino"
Cililian Dance, "Mamana"
Selection, "When Johnnie Comes Marching Home"
Finale, "Regimental Pride"

QUENCHING THE FLAMES

FIRE STILL IN HOLDS OF THE MINNEHAHA AT HALIFAX—NEW THEORY OF FIRE

HALIFAX, N. S., July 10.—Today for the first time the theory of spontaneous combustion was advanced by some of those who were on board the Atlantic Transport liner Minnehaha when the explosion and fire occurred last Wednesday. Yesterday all of the officers and crew who talked held firmly to the original theory that a bomb had been secreted in the cargo. No explanation other than these two has been offered. Capt. Frank E. Claret has remained silent.

Those who now suggest a natural cause will not be quoted but maintain that spontaneous combustion in hold three near a quantity of whiskey might have caused the shock. The presence of the whiskey in the cargo accounted for the alcoholic fumes described earlier by others of the crew. Two of the two hundred horses on board were suffocated.

Upon permission of the authorities at Ottawa the Minnehaha moved up to the inner harbor today and anchored opposite the railway terminal where the lightering of the cargo from under the upper hatches of hold three was begun. Dense volumes of smoke soon were pouring from the open hatches and fire hose was again brought into play.

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FUNERALS

PERUSSE—The funeral of Mrs. Albina Perusse took place this morning from her home, 5 Racine place. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Julien Hacette, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Armand Paron, O. M. I., as deacon and Rev. Victor Vlaud, O. M. I., as subdeacon. The bearers were Joseph Savoie, Remi and Napoleon Boisvert, Alexandre Lacharine, Henri Goyette and Alfred Cloutier. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Charles Denizot, O. M. I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker A. D. Doucette.

DIDELET—The funeral of Joseph A. Didelet took place this morning from his home in Kenwood, Dracut. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Louis' church at 9 o'clock by Rev. J. B. Labossiere, assisted by Rev. L. C. Bedard as deacon and Rev. E. Vincent as sub deacon. The bearers were Louis Latour, Miguel Martin, Charles Pilotte and Camille Roussin. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the comittal prayers were read by Fr. Labossiere. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Son.

TABER—The funeral of Sarah Taber, infant daughter of Maurice and Fannie Taber, took place yesterday from the home of her parents, 89 Railroad street. Burial was in the Hebrew cemetery, Pelham, N. H., under the direction of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Son.

BURNS—The funeral of William Nelson Burns took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 18 Pleasant street. There was a profusion of floral offerings. Among them were sprays from Aunt Elizabeth, grandma, Cousin Bessie Rourke, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Drury and family, playmates, friends and several others. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, and under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

COVALSKI—The funeral of Marie Covalski, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Covalski, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 57 Lakeview avenue. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker A. D. Doucette.

CUMMINGS—The funeral of Edith R. Cummings was held from the home of her parents, 72 Boylston street. The services were conducted by Rev. James Bancroft of St. John's church. Burial was made at Hardwick. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck.

SLATER—The funeral of Mrs. Harriet A. Slater was held yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 79 Branch street. The services were conducted by Rev. John W. Suter of St. Anne's Episcopal church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery.

COLEMAN—The funeral of Mrs. Anna Coleman took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 87 Christian street, and was largely attended. A funeral high mass was celebrated in St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Henry Tattan. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Henry Tattan read the burial service. The bearers were Messrs. William Coleman, Thomas Kelleher, John Dempsey and Thomas Maker. There were many floral tributes placed on the grave. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

DEATHS

FORTIER—Jean Baptiste Fortier, aged 58 years, died today at his home, St. James street, Dracut. He leaves his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Amanda Audette of Waterville, Me., Misses Melvina and Marie Fortier of this city; a son, Alphonse.

HOWARD—Mr. Lester Howard of 35 Livingston avenue, died yesterday morning at the Lowell General hospital, aged 21 years. He is survived by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard; five brothers, two sisters, all in England except one brother, John P. Howard of this city. The body was removed to the chapel of Undertakers Simmons & Brown, 96 Branch street.

CHAPMAN—Edwin Chapman, aged 74 years, a former resident of this city, and for many years in the wholesale beef business in Boston, and a director of the Adams-Chapman Co. of Boston, died yesterday at a Boston hospital after undergoing an operation. Deceased served as president of the New England Beef Co., Mayo Beef Co., Quincy Beef Co. and Corwin-White Co. and as vice president and president of the Adams-Chapman Co. He was a director of the Fourth National bank and of several corporations, including the American Glue Co. In 1902 Chapman gave Ashby a public library building. He is survived by his wife, and by a daughter, Mrs. Jesse P. Lyman.

TABER—Sarah Taber, aged 5 years, 1 month, daughter of Maurice and Fannie Taber, died July 8, at the Lowell hospital. The body was removed to the home of her parents, 89 Railroad street.

ST. GEORGE—Joseph St. George, aged 39 years, 11 months, died Thursday evening at his home, 795 Lakeview avenue, after a lingering illness. He leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pierre St. George of Canada; his wife, Mrs. Anna St. George; three sons, Joseph, Pierre and Arthur; a daughter, Rose Alma, and several brothers and sisters in Canada.

MONAHAN—Michael Monahan, a well known resident of Lowell, died yesterday in this city. He leaves a wife; two children, James and Catherine; four brothers, John of Ireland and William, Frank and James of San Francisco, and two sisters, Mrs. Patrick Corkey and Mrs. Ann Lavery, both of Lowell. He was a member of Division 8, A. O. H. The body was taken to the rooms of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BURTON—Susan E. Burton died at her home in Billerica Centre yesterday. Besides her husband, Charles L., she leaves one son, C. A. Martin of Lynn.

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BIG REPUBLICAN OUTING

Continued

A Little Dissention

Because Hon. Horton H. Hilton, who is deeply interested in the candidacy of Mr. A. B. Messer for sheriff, was at the head of the affair, rumors were in circulation that the outing was to be turned into a Messer rally and in fact one well known republican wasn't going to allow the use of his auto because he had heard that it was to be decorated with Messer banners. He was assured that such was not the case and showed up in line. Not only was Sheriff Fairbairn present but he also had a large bunch of friends in attendance. But Mr. Messer, like the traditional busy bee, improved each shining, not to speak of each rainy hour, by sending out letters to his friends in the different towns below Lowell boosting the outing and telling them that he would like to have them present with their autos so that he might make a good showing at the affair. He also kindly offered to supply them with banners reading: "Messer for Sheriff." As a result there were some 25 autos in line with the Messer banners, and all were from out of town, so that Chairman Hilton cannot be held responsible for slipping anything over on the present sheriff.

The Presiding Officer

The writer must confess that he received a huge jolt when he learned the identity of the gentleman selected to preside at the festivities, who was William D. Regan, Esq., the well known attorney of The Sun building. Chairman Hilton, with due modesty, simply called to order and thanked all present for their interest in the affair. Then he introduced Mr. Regan, and there was certainly a murmur of surprise through that crowd when they heard his name, together with the question: "How long has he been a republican? But, nevertheless, "Billo" was on the job, and made an eloquent presiding officer.

The Opening Exercises

The opening exercises were not marked with prayer but with a good-looking auto parade headed by the Sixth Regiment band carefully stowed away in Hefler's big auto truck. The Sixth Regiment was at its best and while the Eighth Regiment band has been receiving quite a boost since the parade on the Fifth, one should not forget that in the Sixth, that regiment also has a first class musical organization "made in Lowell." Charlie Wotton presided over the auto parade as gracefully and completely as he ever conducted the affairs of a ward three campaign. The autos were due to crank up at 1.30, but it was shortly after that time that the word was given to march. The committee furnished an auto for the press, and hence the appearance of a few "demmies" in line. The parade proceeded over the following route: Lane street to Westford, to Thorndike, to Dutton, to Merrimack, to Central, to Church, to Andover, to Nesmith, to Boylston, to the grounds.

A great crowd was present on arrival of the autos and they continued to arrive all afternoon. In order to accommodate the late comers the first event was the ball game between the Kimball Systems and the C. M. A. C.'s, which started about 2 o'clock. After the game the speaking was called and after the speaking the remainder of the athletic program of wrestling and running was taken up.

A buffet lunch was served throughout the afternoon.

A large committee had charge of the event presided over by Hon. Horton H. Hilton, with Edward T. Goward as secretary, while Fred G. Humphriss proved to be an efficient chairman of the committee on publicity.

FUNERAL NOTICES

ROGERS—Died in Brighton, Mass., July 9th, Alonzo D. Rogers, aged 48 years, 11 months and 4 days, at St. Elizabeth's hospital. Funeral services at his late home, 38 John street, this city, Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

BRECKENRIDGE—The funeral of Robert Breckenridge will take place Sunday afternoon from his home, 131 Jewett street. Private prayers at the house at 2 o'clock. Services at the Paige Street Baptist church at 2.30. Friends invited. Burial private. Funeral in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

SARGENT—The funeral of Mrs. Hannah Augusta Sargent will take place Sunday afternoon. Services will be held at 416 Pleasant street, Hovey square, Dracut, at 2.45 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. Kindly omit flowers. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HOWARD—Died in this city, July 9, at the Lowell General hospital, Mr. Lester Howard of No. 35 Livingston avenue. Funeral services will be held from the chapel of Undertakers Simmons & Brown, 96 Branch street, on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are invited. Burial will be in the Westlawn cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

MONAHAN—The funeral of Michael Monahan will take place Monday morning from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons, Market street, at 8 o'clock. A high mass of requiem will be sung at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Burial in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MOODY—Died July 10, in this city, Harlan Stewart Moody, aged 1 year, 10 months and 21 days, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Moody, 173 Stackpole street. Funeral services will be held at 173 Stackpole street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited, without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Tomorrow will be the regular communion day for the Holy Name society of St. Peter's church and it is expected there will be a very large turnout of the members.

The consultors of the society met in the school during the past week and each consultor is fully prepared to cover the territory assigned to him. The regular breakfast following communion will be omitted tomorrow on account of the heat.

MATRIMONIAL

Frederick Warren Wright and Miss Louise Marion Fisher, daughter of Dr. C. Irving Fisher of New York, a former superintendent of the state infirmary in Tewksbury, were married recently in New York.

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DELAY UP TO SCHOOL BOARD

Continued

sitions to be handled by the municipal council, but so far as the high school is concerned, he says, the school board and not the council is to blame. As to the Pawtucket bridge matter he admits that the council did not go about it in the right way in the beginning, but inasmuch as it would be impossible to work on the bridge with the river at its present height he feels that fears are unnecessary. He calls attention to the fact, too, that the job has not yet been let. He thinks that will help some. As to the Dummer street extension Mr. Duncan says the city engineer was instructed to revise his figures on land costs and the figures, he said, should be forthcoming at the meeting on Tuesday. Mr. Duncan admits, however, that the extension of Dummer street is not as imperative as is the construction of a new high school or contagious disease hospital and the commissioner did not know that Lawrence was already caring for tuberculosis cases from this city. "The city," said Mr. Duncan, "ought not to lose any time in the construction of a contagious disease hospital. It isn't to Lowell's credit to have her tubercular patients treated in Lawrence. The summer will have slipped away before we get a start on any of the things that are necessary."

Street Department Work

Commissioner Morse has been pushing the street department work for all it is worth. He has completed the tar macadam on the east side of Gorham street from Manchester street to Cosgrove street. The tar macadam connects at this point with the asphalt macadam that runs from Cosgrove street to the city line, so that Gorham street is smooth-paved on one side, at least, all the way to the city line.

Tar is being poured on Rogers street, on the west side, from Nesmith street to Boylston street and a portion of the west side of High street is being torn up and made ready for broken stone. Men are at work near the Moody school in High and Rogers streets rounding off the corner to conform with land taken by resolution some few weeks ago.

Hale street has been paved with grouted six-inch blocks, on a sand base, from Lincoln square to Cambridge street. A number of minor jobs including repairs, etc., were cleaned up this week and Mr. Morse feels that he has his street and sewer work well in hand.

The Sale of Cherries

Warren P. Riordan, sealer of weights and measures, has had cherry trouble, not the kind that comes to one from eating too heartily of them, but the kind that has to do with the sale of them when it is your business to look after the salesmen, peddlers and others. There's a new law providing for the sale of gooseberries, raspberries, blueberries, cherries and currants by Massachusetts dry measure, quart, pint and half-pint, but Mr. Riordan, after going over all the laws obtainable in Lowell and elsewhere has discovered an unrepealed law which states specifically that cherries may be sold by weight. This settles the cherry question, but the sealer wants it distinctly understood that the feeling experienced by eating too generously of cherries purchased by weight is identical with that caused by over-indulgence in cherries purchased by Massachusetts dry measure.

Some time next week the sealers of weights and measures for Lowell, Lawrence and surrounding towns will hear from Thure Hanson, state commissioner of weights and measures. Mr. Hanson will address them on the new law relative to the issuance of state and county licenses to hawkers and peddlers. There has been more or less confusion in the granting of these licenses in places where there were no properly constituted boards and under the new law the state will issue licenses providing the applicant has the recommendation of the mayor or board of selectmen.

The Park Department

A cry of distress comes from the park department to the effect that they are unable to attend to the number of calls received for tree trimming. There are a great many bad trees in Lowell and the department hasn't got a very large tree appropriation. Now what the park department wants the people to understand is that the removal of dangerous trees is more important than tree trimming and that the bulk of the money will be used for the removal of dangerous trees. Good night!

BRYAN GETS A RUDE JOLT

He's Not Nebraska's Most Distinguished Citizen, So a Jury Voted Yesterday

OMAHA, July 10—William J. Bryan is not the most distinguished citizen of Nebraska. A committee of representative men, chosen regardless of politics by Gov. Morehead to name the most distinguished citizen of the state, voted the honor to Laurence A. Bruner, professor of entomology at the state university.

Mr. Bryan at first received just one vote but in a later ballot even this vote was taken from him and was given to Prof. Bruner. The selection was made at the request of the San Francisco exposition management which will entertain the most distinguished man from each state in September.

LOSES BRIDE NEAR ALTAR

PITTSBURGH, July 10—Just as Robert B. Jacobs, president of the Waynesburg, (Ohio) bank, who was sued last week for $50,000 for breach of promise by Ellen W. Carnine of Indianapolis was about to lead his prospective bride, Miss Grace Wendt of Baltimore, to the altar here yesterday she was arrested on the charge of using the mails to defraud.

Miss Wendt came here from Baltimore, where, according to the postal authorities, she represented herself as J. V. Cowels of Waterloo, Ia., in purchasing a safety razor sharpening machine from a Cincinnati company for $465. She is alleged to have paid $5 cash and to have given notes signed J. V. Cowles for the balance.

Jacobs tried to get the federal officials here to accept property in Ohio for the woman's bail, but they refused.

GEN. GOURAUD LOSES AN ARM

PARIS, July 10—France now has two "one armed heroes" in active service.

Gen. Gouraud, commander-in-chief of the French Dardanelles forces, who was recently wounded, submitted to amputation of his right arm, it was learned today.

Gen. Paul Pau lost his arm in the Franco-Prussian war.

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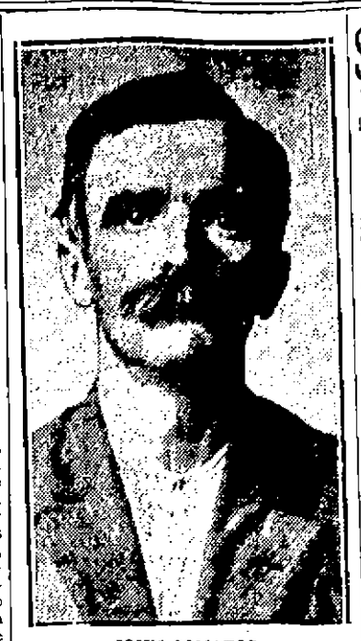

JOHN COMATOS,
Held on Suspicion of Murdering John Demos at Elm Place
Photo by Marion Studio.

LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

Optimistic View in London

London despatches reflect an optimistic view of the war situation taken by the entente allies, induced chiefly by the British conquest of German Southwest Africa, and the increasing powers of resistance shown by the Russians.

The Russian official statement reports the blocking of German attempts to advance toward Warsaw from the north and east and declares the offensive taken by the Russian armies below Lublin is developing.

Teutons Still In Retreat

The Teutonic forces in the southern Poland region are continuing to retreat, Petrograd declares, but are fighting stubbornly as they retire. A Petrograd correspondent says the Germans are sending strong reinforcements for this army and it is believed there will shortly be an attempt by it to recover its lost initiative.

Austrians Repulsed

Along the Italian-Austrian front the repulse of Austrian attacks in several sectors are reported from Rome. The latest statement from Vienna reports comparative quiet along this front and the breaking up of isolated attacks by the Italians.

Comment on Note

The German reply to the American note on the Lusitania and submarine warfare has been published both in this country and in Germany, but the official text is not yet in the hands of the Washington government. Pending its receipt and in the absence of President Wilson from the capital, comment in official circles is withheld.

Indications of the way the note is regarded in Germany are furnished by cable excerpts from an editorial in the Berlin Morgent Post which declares the answer "in every way is worthy of Germany" and expresses the conviction that the note "will meet unrestrained approval at the hands of a large part of Americans."

FEELING OF OPTIMISM AGAIN MANIFESTING ITSELF IN LONDON

LONDON, July 10, 11.55 a. m.—A feeling of optimism which has been absent for some time, again is manifesting itself here. This feeling is chiefly due to Gen. Botha's victory in German Southwest Africa which at one stroke deprives Germany of territory larger than that of the German empire.

The size of the captured territory is enormously disproportionate to that of the defending forces which consisted of 204 officers and 3166 men.

The cheerfulness of the entente allies also has been aided by the stands being made by the Russians near Lublin, in southern Russian Poland, and along the Zlota Lipa river in Galicia. It is believed in London that the stubborn resistance of the Russians is doing much to postpone the dreaded German offensive along the western front.

Kitchener's Speech a Warning

Only fragmentary summaries of the German reply to America have so far been published here, but for several days the British press has been busy predicting that Berlin's reply to the second Lusitania note would be unsatisfactory.

The newspapers comment at length on the speech of Field Marshal Earl Kitchener at the Guildhall yesterday, according to their views regarding conscription, one faction maintaining that the war secretary uttered a direct warning of the possibility of forced military service while the other organs profess to see in his remarks a reaffirmation of the belief in the efficacy of the voluntary system.

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S WAR NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

French drive Germans off Ban-de-Sapt hill in Vosges and set back German line nearly half a mile.

British after a two-day hand grenade battle push Germans out of more trenches north of Ypres.

Berlin announces capture of French fortifications near Ally on Verdun-Metz sector.

Vienna announces that heavy Russian assaults north of Krasnik were repulsed.

Turks and Arabs invade Aden Hinterland and menace British port near Red sea entrance.

British and French government and military heads confer at Calais.

Earl Kitchener appeals for more men: all of military fitness in Britain to be asked to enlist.

GARY PLANT ON FULL TIME

CHICAGO, July 10.—The Gary plant of the Illinois Steel company, which has been partially shut down for the last two years, will begin operation at full capacity on Monday. Twelve thousand men will be given employment. Until recently the pay roll has listed only 6,000.

Eight blast furnaces, forty-two open hearth furnaces, 550 coke ovens, the rail, axle and other rolling mills will resume. An announcement of the reopening of the idle plants was made at the Gary office of the company yesterday.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SIXTH REGIMENT CAMP

LOCAL COMPANIES WILL GO TO BARNSTABLE NEXT MONTH ON AUGUST 8

The members of the Sixth regiment, M. V. M., N. G., including Companies C, G and K of this city are making arrangements for their annual encampment which will be held next month. It was stated at the armory this forenoon that practically every company has its full quota of members and there is a good list of names of parties who are waiting for an opportunity to join.

The encampment will be held this year at West Barnstable on the shores of a great lake, at a point where the officers' school was held two years ago. It is an ideal summer place and it is fair to assume that the members of the regiment will thoroughly enjoy their trip this year. The companies will leave Lowell on Aug. 8 and will remain in camp eight days. The first few days of the week will be devoted to field work and athletics and the last two to field maneuvers.

It is hoped that all members will be in readiness for the start on Aug. 8. The full quota of the local companies is 65 men, but five of these are connected with the Machine Gun company stationed at Quincy.

The Ninth regiment of which Company M of this city is a part, will go to camp at Sandwich a week from tomorrow. Their encampment will also last eight days. The regular drills of all local companies will be held next week on the regular nights and the spare evenings will be devoted to recruit drill.

PLAN MORE BUILDINGS

U. S. CARTRIDGE CO. TO BUILD ADDITION AND GARAGE OFF WATSON STREET

Work has been started on the erection of the four story addition to the main building of the U. S. Cartridge Co., in Lawrence street and within a few weeks workmen will start excavation for a one-story brick garage for the company to be erected in a field in Watson street. The garage will be a large affair, 150 feet long and 60 feet wide. It will include a machine shop for the repairing of automobiles and will be capable of housing more than 35 machines. The plans will probably be completed next week. The work will be supervised by the Wamesit Power Co.

The new addition to the main building will extend out to the four-story building along Andrew street which was started some time ago, is nearly completed and will soon be ready for occupancy.

The addition to the main building and the new garage will cost over $100,000.

The Wamesit Power Co., has also taken out a permit for the construction of a dynamometer building in Lawrence street. This building will be 100 feet from the street line, and will have a concrete floor and foundation of the same material. The 16-inch walls will be of brick. The building will be one story in height and triangular in shape and will cover an area of 560 square feet.

PERSONALS

J. P. Lincourt of Brockton is visiting friends in Lowell.

Arthur Ringuette of Manchester N. H. is the guest of local relatives.

Napoleon Roux of Fall River is the guest of Joseph Lafontaine and Antoine Rivard of Dalton street.

Misses Yvonne and Marie Anne Rivard of Springfield are the guests of their brother in this city.

Amedee Archambault, Jr., of Merrimack street is on an automobile tour to New York.

George Provencher and Simeon Perreault of Biddeford, Me., are visiting friends in this city.

Francis Garrity of the H. R. Barker company, is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

John B. Morin of Austin street has returned from a pleasant week's stay at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Octave Destrempes of Woonsocket, R. I. are visiting friends in Lowell.

Rev. Eugene Desmarais of l'Assomption, Que. is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gervais of Lakeview avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fisette of Woodcock avenue left last night on an extended trip to Canada.

Miss Clola Roy of Branch street, has entered the order of the Sisters of the Holy Family at Sherbrooke, Que.

Miss Blanche Bibeault, of Forr street, is the guest of relatives at Beverly, Mass.

Willie Guilbault of Biddeford, Me is the guest of his brother, L. N. Guilbault of Merrimack street.

Undertaker A. D. Doucette of Moody street left last night for Paterson, N. J. on business.

Patrick Flannery, a prominent Centralville young man is sojourning at his camp at Willow Dale for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolphe Lamontagne and family of Moody street have returned from a pleasant automobile trip to St. Johnsbury, Vt.

Mrs. R. A. Davis, of 60 Rock street has gone to Hedering, N. H. to her cottage for the remainder of the summer months.

At St. Alban's mission, North Chelmsford the Rev. Wilson Waters will preach on the Fourth Commandment at 7 o'clock.

Dr. and Mrs. George E. Caisse, Mis. Rose Caisse, W. P. Caisse, W. P. Caisse, Jr., Miss Loupret and Raymond Blais, left this morning on an automobile trip to Winooski, Vt. They will return Tuesday.

L. J. Cornellier and Ernest Rousseau have been elected delegates to represent Carillon council at the biennial convention of l'Union St. Jean Baptiste d'Amerique which will be held at Worcester on Sept. 14-15. J. P. Morrissette and Dr. Adelard Fayette were chosen alternates.

ILLINOIS GOVERNOR ACCUSED

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 10.—Validity of some of the most important of the millions of dollars of appropriations by the last legislature is challenged in four bills for injunction filed in the Sangamon county circuit court yesterday to restrain the state treasurer from paying specific items totalling close to $2,000,000. The bills were signed by a taxpayer, John B. Fergus.

Governor Dunne and other high state officials are depicted in the bills as having been in a combination through the legislative session just closed to mulct the state treasury for illegal increases in their own salaries and perquisites and for the lavish scattering of public funds.

The bills, according to Mr. Fergus' attorneys, are to be followed by others of even more startling nature for the purpose of tying up more of the $50,000,000 appropriations.

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BOXING, GOLF AND ATHLETICS

TY BACK IN .400 CLASS

ZIMMERMAN MAKES BIG GAIN IN NATIONAL LEAGUE—THE BATTING AVERAGES

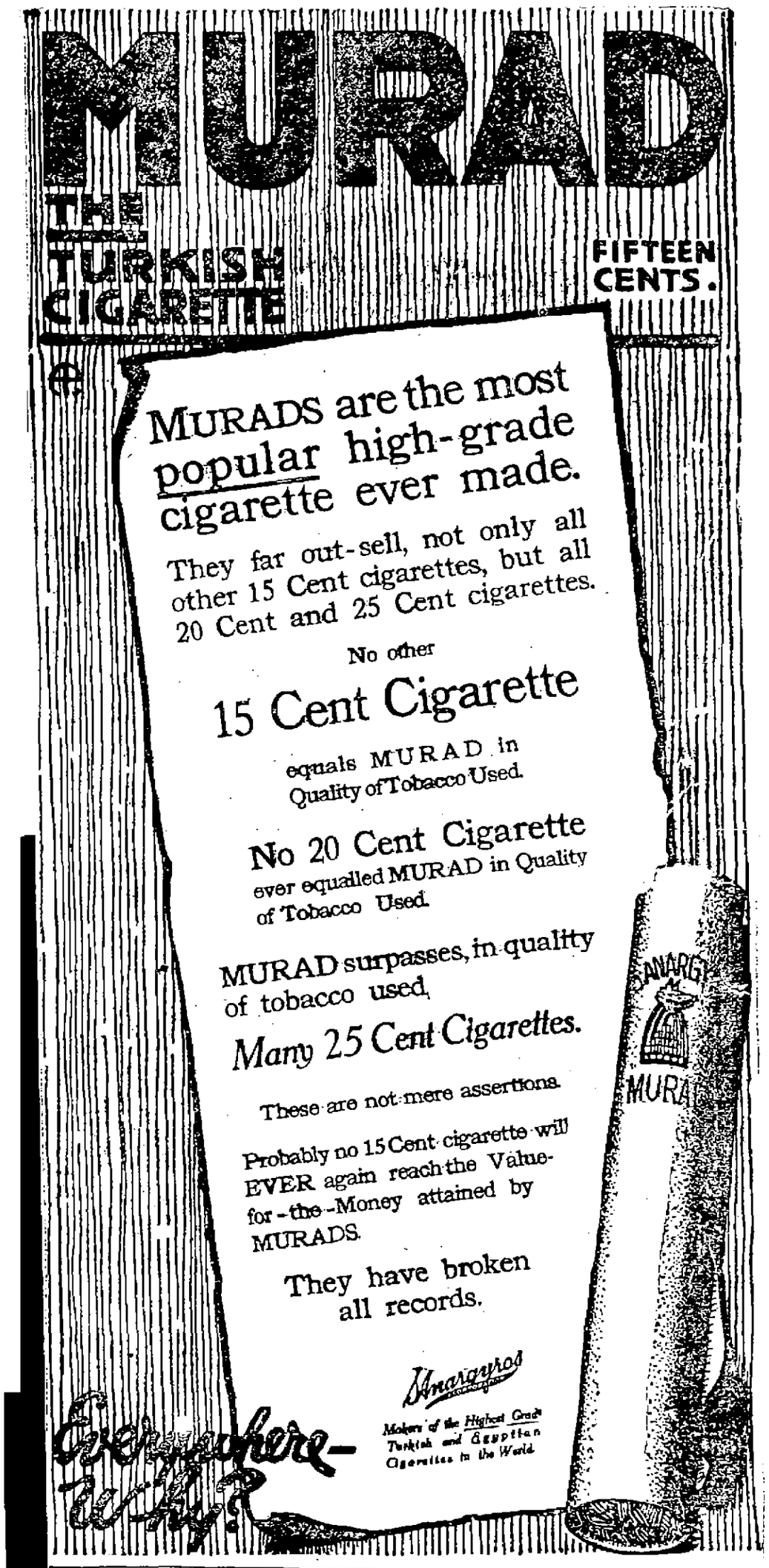
CHICAGO, July 10.—Banging out 21 safe hits in his last 36 times at bat, Heinie Zimmerman of the Chicago Cubs raised himself last week from about 40th place to 12th among the National league batters and threatens, with his average of .298, to break into the first 10. Last week his average was .254.

The first ten hitters, according to averages published here today, which include the records of last Wednesday and of only those players who have played in at least half the number of games are: Daubert, Brooklyn, .337; Doyle, New York, .329; Merkle, New York, .328; Luderus, Philadelphia, .323; Collins, Pittsburgh, .317; Groh, Cincinnati, .319; Wake Killifer, Cincinnati, .314; Wilson, St. Louis, .308; J. Smith, Boston, .304; Saier, Chicago, .301. Robertson, New York, has attained the leadership in stolen bases with 17, but Saier still holds the lead in total bases with 143 and in runs scored with 45. Cravath who is in 11th place with .299, leads in home runs with 12. St. Louis, New York and Chicago are tied for the lead in team batting at .277.

Leading pitchers, counting only those who have attained an average of .667 in 15 or more games are: Pierce, Chicago, won 9 and lost 1; Alexander, Philadelphia, 15 and 3; Mamaux, Pittsburgh, 11 and 4; Meadows, St. Louis, 5 and 3.

Ty Cobb, Detroit, once more has established a .400 class in the big leagues. Today's averages show him leading the batters of the American league with .401, setting the pace for base stealers at 51 thefts and in runs scored with 79. Crawford, his team-mate, shares second place with Jackson, Cleveland, at .333; but Crawford leads in total bases at 146. Fournier, Chicago, is fourth with .332. Then come E. Collins, Chicago, .325; Veach, Detroit, .319; Lajoie, Philadelphia, .318; Janvrin, Boston, .318; Speaker, Boston, .315; Strunk, Philadelphia, .311. Three New Yorkers—Boone, Caldwell and Peckinpaugh—are tied with Oldring, Philadelphia, for home runs with four each. Chicago leads in club batting with 267 and Detroit is next with 251.

Leading pitchers are: Faber, Chicago, won 15 and lost 4; Scott, Chicago, 11 and 3; Foster, Boston, 9 and 4; Dauss, Detroit, 12 and 6; Fisher, New York, 10 and 5.



A REMARKABLE FEAT

FRANK MURPHY, LOCAL SWIMMER, SWIMS RAPIDS AT HUNTS FALLS

Frank Murphy, the local swimmer, performed a remarkable feat today when he succeeded in swimming the rapids at Hunts falls. Murphy, who on many previous occasions swam from Lowell to Lawrence, after getting out at the falls, announced yesterday that he would attempt to battle through the rapids and tehreby set up a record. Many local men who were a bit skeptical about the task assembled along the river this morning and to their surprise saw the local fin plough through the strong current and continue down the river to Stanley's dance hall.

Murphy went into the water at the Central bridge at 9.07 and started off slowly. As he pulled out of sight he set up a faster pace and continued to increase his speed, passing by McManmon's at 9.35. He went by Belle Grove at 9.45 and reached the finishing point, Stanley's at just 10.15. The time was kept by Mr. Currier of Lawrence, while John W. Daly, followed Murphy from Centralville bridge to the falls, where he saw him break the record by going through the rapids.

Louis Plouff of Lowell acted as trainer for Murphy

DIAMOND DAZZLES

There was more real baseball in yesterday's game than Lowell fans have seen for weeks.

When Kelchner made a big hit with the opposing fans of Lawrence it's the best bet that he'll go big with the fans of the home city.

The new manager certainly "pulled" that victory from the coachlines.

Kelchner is going to make them run bases even if they get caught doing it. And why not? It's the life of the game.

Judgment must be suspended on Fahey once more for he played yesterday like a big leaguer.

Jay Martin, the new man, played right field, and what little he had to do he did well. He was there with one single.

If Slimp was only back we'd be in clover.

A deal was talked of between Lowell and Worcester swapping Barrows for Pownall, but it appears to have been only talk. Cuke doesn't care to leave Lowell, while Pownall is satisfied to remain with Jesse. Pownall headed for Lowell in the beginning, but en route he took a peek at the league standing and finding Lowell in the cellar got a transfer from the conductor and went to Worcester. He may yet be sorry, although one cannot blame a player for being shy about tying up with tail-enders.

The employment of Kelchner as manager of Lowell will have a tendency to make the players in all the teams put forth their best efforts when playing Lowell for the fact remains that Kelchner is also a scout for a big league team and all of the boys have the utmost respect for scouts.

The beauty of Estes' work at first base is enhanced by comparison with the punk work seen earlier in the season.

Old Zeke was right there on the mound and at the bat. He had lots of speed and a nice assortment of the "stuff" that fools the batters.

J. POWELL
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GAMES MONDAY

New England League
Lewiston at Lowell.
Worcester at Lawrence.
Fitchburg at Lynn (2.)
Portland at Manchester.

American League
Boston at Detroit.
New York at Cleveland.
Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

National League
St. Louis at Boston.
Cincinnati at New York.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Brooklyn.

Federal League
(Sunday)
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New England League
Lowell, 4; Lawrence, 3.
Lynn, 4; Lewiston 4 (14 innings, called darkness.)
Portland, 5; Fitchburg, 1.
Worcester, 2; Manchester, 1.

National League
Boston, 4; St. Louis, 3 (10 inaings.)
Brooklyn, 8; Chicago, 7 (10 innings.)
New York, 5; Cincinnati, 3 (first game.)
New York, 4; Cincinnati, 3 (second game.)
Philadelphia, 2; Pittsburgh, 1.

American League
Detroit, 15; Boston, 4.
Chicago, 5; Washington, 1.
Cleveland, 4; New York, 3.
Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 1.

Federal League
Pittsburgh, 4; St. Louis, 2 (first game.)
St. Louis, 5; Pittsburgh, 0 (second game.)
Buffalo, 8; Brooklyn, 2 (first game.)
Buffalo, 9; Brooklyn, 1 (second game.)

LEAGUE STANDINGS

N. E. League	Won	Lost	1915 P. C.	1914 P. C.
Lawrence	37	19	.661	.603
Portland	33	20	.623	.554
Worcester	32	24	.571	.625
Manchester	28	30	.483	....
Lynn	25	30	.455	.509
Lewiston	23	30	.434	.456
Fitchburg	23	34	.404	.295
Lowell	20	34	.370	.508

National League			1915	1914
Chicago	40	30	.571	.541
Philadelphia	37	31	.544	.485
St. Louis	38	36	.514	.520
Pittsburgh	35	35	.500	.464
Brooklyn	35	35	.500	.471
New York	31	35	.470	.594
Cincinnati	30	36	.455	.493
Boston	31	39	.443	.429

American League	Won	Lost	1915 P. C.	1914 P. C.
Chicago	48	26	.649	.554
Boston	43	25	.632	.506
Detroit	45	28	.616	.557
New York	36	37	.493	.371
Washington	32	37	.464	.533
Philadelphia	28	44	.389	.587
Cleveland	26	43	.377	.342
St. Louis	26	44	.371	.632

Federal League			1915	1914
St. Louis	42	30	.583	.419
Kansas City	43	31	.581	.453
Chicago	42	31	.575	.606
Pittsburgh	40	32	.556	.426
Newark	39	36	.527	*.551
Brooklyn	31	44	.413	.500
Buffalo	31	46	.403	.537
Baltimore	27	46	.370	.507

*—Indianapolis last year.

OUTINGS HELD TODAY

Chelmsford Centre People Went to Bass Point This Afternoon—Dracut Church at Mountain Rock

Today is an off day for outings as compared with last Saturday when a number of parish and society outings were held.

One special car in charge of Conductor Erickson and Motorman Lussiers left the square shortly after 8 o'clock for Bass Point. The car was loaded with residents of Chelmsford Centre, and they had a great time disporting in the briny shortly after the arrival. A shore dinner was served at noon and in the afternoon a program of sports was run off and the attractions along the beach were enjoyed.

Mountain Rock was the objective point of several hundred members of the Dracut Congregational church today, the members making the trip to the grove in special cars. During the morning a program of sports was run off and at noon a dinner was served.

Local Representative Wanted

To sell direct to consumer a new and profitable line of Westfield Endorsed Pure Foods, also a line of Household Utilities. We require a representative of proven selling ability in every town. Write for details and an appointment for a personal interview. THE ALDEN SPEARE'S SONS CO., 150 6th St., Cambridge "C", Boston, Mass.

KELCHNER MADE DEBUT

New Manager Pulled a Victory for Lowell from the Coach Line —Fast Game at Lawrence

"Who's that Hughie Jennings guy on the third base lines?" yelled a Lawrence fan when a little gray-haired man in a Lowell uniform started to cut up like a colt, while the players responded by playing ball like winners and pulling a victory out of the hole by a Garrison finish in the closing inning.

The Hughie Jennings guy was Manager Kelchner, who was making his debut and the debut certainly was auspicious for it was Kelchner who won the game successfully aided and abetted by the members of the Lowell team. Kelchner played as hard as any of the boys although he never went to the bat and he inspired the team with courage and determination at a time when they needed it. He pulled hard for a win and got it.

Manager Kelchner was on the coaching lines in every inning and was there with the goods. He supplied a long-felt want in Lowell's make-up in that respect. Some of the fans thought he showed poor judgment in sending two of the runners home from second on hits to a short left field but he assumed that he had fast men and was right in his judgment even if the players were caught at the play.

It was a fine game to look at and the nature of its finish made it all the more satisfactory to the Lowell fans, of whom some 200 went down and took a chance with a big thunder shower on the return trip. It was Ladies' day and the fair sex turned out in large numbers. It would have been a most disappointing day for them had it not been for Manager Kelchner's cut-ups on the coach lines which gave them plenty of amusement for the wind-up took away all the pleasure of the day for them.

The game furnished a few surprises. Howard Fahey, for instance, came across with big league stuff after being generally knocked as too slow for the initial bag. Things came Howard's way in sizzling bunches and he met them with a major. He knocked down a grounder back of third base which while he couldn't head off the runner was a magnificent fielding stunt. On first base, too, Estes was there with the real goods and his one-hand knock-out of what would have been a two-sacker was one of the best fielding stunts that the Lawrence fans have laid eyes on this season.

Zeke Lohman on the mound for Lowell, came across with lightning-like speed and something on the ball, most of the time while at the bat he made himself known. Zeke was in fine form. The game was sharply played and fast and seven innings had been covered in an hour. There was nothing doing in the run-getting line until the fifth when Cuke Barrows lifted the ball over the centre field fence for a homer. For a moment that one run looked awfully big on the score board, but only for a moment, for the home team came in for the sixth and made it appear quite small by walloping out three runs. Of course Bill Luyster started it all with a pretty single. Then O'Connell bunted along the first base line and both Lohman and Estes chased for the ball while Bennie Bowcock was making a bet with himself as to who would get it totally unmindful of the fact that his services were required at the first stopping place. When O'Connell reached first there was no one there to receive either him or the ball and hence there were two on base. Along comes Mahoney with a stingy little bunt in front of the plate and Lohman in his anxiety to get it, let it drop out, but recovered it and threw, but Mahoney was there ahead of the ball and the bases were crowded. Bing, goes Jake Warner's bat against the pill and the latter hikes to centre field for a single and two runs scored.

Thompson bunted to Fahey for a sacrifice and there were men on second and third and only one out. Then Zeke tightened up and Ostregren and Flaherty sent grounders to Fahey which Howard despatched to first and the inning was over.

It then went along with Lowell failing to boost that lone tally on the score board and when they came in for the first of the ninth a few who didn't realize that the game is never over until the ground-keeper takes in the bags, started to leave. Swayne hit the right for a clean single. Fahey hit to Mahoney who kindly put the boots to the unoffending sphere, and Howard got first. Estes bunted to Conley and got there ahead of the throw and we had three on the bases, all that they would conveniently hold. Bowcock accommodatingly flied to Thompson and Swayne scored, and we needed only one run to tie. Barrows was there with a single to centre and Fahey came in with the tieing run, Shorty Dee, not to be outdone, sent the ball to right centre for two bases and Estes came across with what proved to be the winning run. Lawrence couldn't come back in the final session notwithstanding the fact that Pearson went to bat.

The score:

LOWELL

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Swayne lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Fahey 3b	4	1	0	1	6	0
Estes 1b	4	1	1	15	0	0
Bowcock 2b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Barrows cf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Dee ss	4	0	1	4	5	0
Ahearn c	3	0	1	3	1	0
Martin rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Lohman p	3	0	2	0	2	1
Totals	32	4	9	27	16	1

LAWRENCE

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Luyster rf	3	1	2	2	1	0
O'Connell cf	4	2	2	3	0	0
Mahoney 3b	3	0	0	3	3	2
Warner 2b	3	0	2	2	3	0
Thompson lf	3	0	0	1	2	0
Ostergren 1b	3	0	0	11	0	0
Flaherty c	3	0	0	5	1	0
Conley 3b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Barron p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Pearson x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	3	6	27	14	2

x—Batted for Conley in the 9th.

Lowell 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 3—4
Lawrence 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 0—3

Two base hit, O'Connell. Home run, Barrows. Stolen base, O'Connell. Sacrifice hits, Martin, Ahearn, Bowcock, Mahoney, Thompson, Warner. Double play, Dee and Estes. Left on bases, Lowell 4, Lawrence 5. First base on errors, Lowell 2, Lawrence 1. Bases on balls, off Lohman 2. Hit by pitcher, Ostergren. Struck out, by Lohman 3. Umpire, Keeler. Time, 1.25.

CUT BY BIG SAW

Man Had Narrow Escape From Death in Lumber Mill

B. Frunka, an employe of William P. Proctor & Co., lumber manufacturers, sustained a deep wound across the back as a result of running against a cutting off saw at the North Chelmsford plant about 9.30 o'clock this morning. The saw inflicted a diagonal cut across the man's back just above the hips, but fortunately did not touch the backbone, and the injured man had a fortunate escape from fatal injury. Dr. H. C. Gage was called and after examining the man, ordered him taken to the Corporation hospital for treatment. He was taken from the plant to the hospital in the ambulance. Frunka is 20 years of age and has been employed at the plant for two years.

LAWRENCE AIDS LOWELL

DOWN RIVER CITY PROVIDES FOR OUR TUBERCULOSIS PATIENTS UNDER AGREEMENT

Pending the erection of a contagious hospital in this city, and the present city government doesn't seem to be making very much progress towards the erection of one, Lowell tubercular patients will be cared for in Lawrence. Alderman Maloney, director of the department of health and charities in Lawrence, has entered into an arrangement with the Lowell authorities to care for any Lowell patients ordered to the Lawrence hospital. Two Lowell patients have already entered the Lawrence sanatorium.

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BOSTON'S FIRE PERILS

The earnestness and intelligence which Boston is displaying in the correction of its fire perils and insanitary abuses are arousing the attention and admiration of all New England. A code of building and fire laws adopted a little over a year ago has been enforced consistently by the commissioners, and the Boston public realizes that such laws must be respected to the letter. As no subject is of more pertinent interest to all communities at the present time than the elimination of fire perils and the curtailment of unsanitary conditions, Boston's example is an eloquent object lesson to Lowell and neighboring cities.

During the past year about 700 buildings in the city of Boston have been razed or rebuilt. Their construction or their degree of deterioration made them a fire menace and unfit for human habitation, and the city would not tolerate the risk. Many of them have been large tenement properties which brought heavy rentals to their owners, but after a thorough inspection and investigation by the proper authorities, a conference was held with the owners and residents and the buildings were ordered demolished. This is a remarkable record of achievement, but it is still more remarkable that it has been done with a minimum of friction. In practically all instances, the firm insistence of the city has been followed by the unhesitating compliance of the owner. As a result, Boston is a far safer city than it was a year ago.

The indirect influence of such a campaign as this is even greater than that directly achieved. To be sure there are 700 less dangerous buildings, but the good does not stop there. Without doubt many property owners, seeing that the city authorities were in earnest, have voluntarily done what the law could compel, and thus automatically reform has widened and increased. Those who contemplated new buildings during this period must also have been impressed with the necessity for making them conform to the standard, and in many ways Boston has been benefitted.

Owing to the type of our population and the deterioration of great tenement buildings that were erected for revenue only, we too have a great problem on our hands to make Lowell a safer and a healthier city. It is doubtful if we could enforce the laws as rigorously as Boston, in proportion, but if the fire menace is to be checked effectually, the city will have to demand prompt and full compliance with its regulations. Our building department also has shown unusual zeal in demanding a correction of abuses, and the city as a whole will back up activity of this nature. The condition of property is no longer regarded as a private matter for which the owner or resident is responsible to himself only. There is an attempt in some large cities to hold property owners responsible for fires which start in buildings not up to the standard and spread to neighboring buildings, and everywhere is the spirit which is so well exemplified in Boston.

ORNAMENTAL LIGHTS

The refreshing and versatile George Fitch has something to say of "ornamental lights" which ought to interest Lowell, one of the most recent additions to the list of white way cities. Here are a few of the Fitch sentences:

> Ornamental lights form a good way of feeling the pulse of an American town. If a town has large quantities of cluster lights on its business streets, its pulse is strong and healthy and it has a Commercial club which would as soon grab a factory away from some other town as eat a piece of pie.
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> If, however, a town is filled with dark canyons at night, with overworked electric lights trying to excavate holes in the blackness at the street corners, it is usually in a comatose condition, and the secretary of the Commercial club is working overtime to collect enough dues to pay his salary.

If, as he says, the ornamental lights form a good way of feeling the pulse of an American town, this town is in pretty fair condition, but lights alone without the proper civic spirit will avail little. They indicate progress only insofar as they reflect the desire of a municipality to have the best of everything that is going, irrespective of cost or the sacrifices necessary in the process.

We have the lights and we have the thriving "commercial club," but we do not get all the factories that are our due, no matter how vehement our desire may be to win out over other communities. Probably we shall do better if we advertise our advantages a little more, and so make Lowell look attractive to prospective manufacturers and residents. In spite of very unenviable management of our public affairs and a lack of the proper cooperation between all concerned, Lowell has really made some strides forward, and we have many advantages to offer those who may be looking this way, some of which nullify, if they do not entirely hide, the obvious disadvantages.

At the present time ornamental lights are all the vogue. Most of the great cities have white ways and those which have not are agitating them. In a little while there will be an agitation for something else, and another wave of municipal reform will sweep over the city. Whether we will keep in the forefront will depend in great measure on the result of the ornamental lighting system. If it proves an advantage, worth what we have paid for it and up to its appearance, we will be as ready for the next municipal improvement as any other progressive city in the country.

BIRD DECLINES

In a letter to the chairman of his party, Charles Sumner Bird has definitely stated that he will not be a candidate for governor, and a crop of wild rumors has been laid at rest. A considerable following in his own party and many of the republican opportunists saw a good opportunity for plausible amalgamation under the Bird banner, but the lure of the siren was not sufficient to bring the erstwhile leader out of his shady retreat. In the letter of declination, Mr. Bird does not give any indication of his personal wishes, and he makes no reference whatever to the party which honored him with two nominations. It is, therefore probable that the progressive who is wavering in his faith in the Bull Moose will not find a steadying influence in the word or example of Mr. Bird. Many sincere progressives will certainly regret the decision of their popular standard-bearer, for the personal popularity of Mr. Bird has never been questioned. He has the loyalty of his own party to a man and the respect of all parties. Few men in the public gaze in this state at the present time could claim a more hearty call than that accorded the progressive champion, and his refusal to be exploited this time will precipitate many perplexing questions.

Mr. Bird may not follow the example of Matthew Hale in declaring for the democratic party as a choice between the two old parties, but he cannot well throw in his lot with the republicans. Since Mr. Bird expounded so warmly and sincerely against standpatism, there has been no change in the personnel or policies of the republican party in this state, and the same conditions exist against which Mr. Bird led the progressive forces. Probably the retiring leader will still hold true to the principles he preached and practiced, but if he should desire to return to one of the old parties, his logical place is with the democratic party which has striven openly and honestly to fulfill every pledge for progress made to the American public.

ROADS AND SPEED

An autoist who was brought before the court at Nahant a few days ago for speeding made a rather novel plea which is not without its lesson. The gentleman hailed from Virginia where the roads are pretty poor, and he was so elated at the sensation of spinning along over the smooth and well-kept roads of Massachusetts that the exhilaration drove him to excess and so into the police court. He very graciously declared that the Bay State roads formed for him a temptation to speed too strong to be resisted and cheerfully paid a $5 fine. Judge Southwick apparently felt that his appreciation of Massachusetts roads should be shown in a less demonstrative manner, nevertheless the compliment is rather flattering.

Our Virginia visitor was right in affording the palm to Massachusetts roads. In a great road conference held in the west a few months ago, Col. Sohier of the state highway commission made the boast that our roads lead the country, and with the systematic improvements going on consistently, we shall make great strides forward in the near future. The state is unusually busy with the roads of this vicinity alone, but the same is true of all sections. It has been so conclusively proved that good roads are essential to the development of a section that now all interests agitate them. Farmers, tourists, property owners, real estate dealers all unite in demanding that this state set a new road standard for the entire country.

What is true of the state is true of the city. After city lighting nothing more immediately impresses the visitor than the condition of the streets and highways. The Sun has for the past few years advocated many road reforms, and it is gratifying to see that most of them are now in a fair way of adoption. The fixing of the Rogers street approach, the improvement of the Billerica road and the probable construction of a new link down the river next season are a few of the road improvements needed to bear out the claim of the speeder from Virginia in this vicinity. While we do not care to incite speed, better that our roads would so affect the visitor than that he should be sunk in mental and physical depressions.

RUSSIAN CAMPAIGN

While the Russian armies are intact, Russia is not suffering a decisive defeat, and the supposed triumph of Germany may at any moment be turned into a costly failure. When Von Hindenburg in the early stages of the war drove the Russian troops into the marches of Lithuania, Berlin spoke of a decisive defeat of Russia, but the troops of the czar soon reorganized and fought two similar campaigns. It now looks as though the third German attempt on Warsaw will fail, and with increased ammunition, Russia may turn on its enemy and force a counter retreat with heavy losses to Von Mackensen's armies. Experts say that Germany is striving to break the Russian army in two, so as to annihilate one division, but the Russians seem to be successfully resisting. When Germany goes so far into Russian territory that her strategic railways are behind, a Russian retreat may easily prove a trap. It does not look now that Germany will take Warsaw or will be able to withdraw many troops for service in France and Belgium, as she had intended.

THE GREAT RAIN

The popular memory which is generally relied on for weather reminiscences cannot recall a July in this section of the country that saw more rain than we have had since July 1. In five days, eight inches of rain have fallen here and the Merrimack river is almost up to its spring proportions. This condition is true of almost the entire Merrimack valley, where the conditions have been unprecedented. Still there has not been too much rain, though it played havoc with the summer resorts and automatically stopped some vacations. May and June were dry months and vegetation had suffered severely. It looked as though nature has regretted her parsimony and resolved to give us the belated spring rains in ten-fold measure. The steady downpour, day and night, has worked wonders for vegetation and its effects can be noted in the emerald of the lawns and the fresh verdure of shrub and tree. The beneficial effect of the great July rains will be seen still more in the greater glory of the autumn.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

COMING PENSIONS

The Canadian government is already paying pensions to widows and children of dead soldiers. Another of the huge burdens the fighting nations must assume if they are to be in any degree fair to the men who are doing the fighting and the dying.—Brockton Enterprise.

A LONE CRANK

The London Standard sees in the attempted assassination of J. P. Morgan a prima facie case of a blackhand German conspiracy to which the German embassy at Washington was directly or indirectly privy. The Standard's vision is slightly distorted if it discerns in this particular instance any evidence to support such a theory. It is apparent that this was an unmistakable case of "bugs"—the irrational act of a crank who took no one into his confidence and who was without confederates nor inspired or instigated by others to commit his crazy deeds.—Fall River Globe.

NOW 'TIS AUGUST

Gen. Joffre is now quoted as saying that there will be a forceful advance of the allies against the German lines in August. It looks is if Joffre is figuring on giving Kitchener ample time to finish up with the great spring drive, which was to have begun in May.—Springfield Union.

OPTIMISTIC

Instead of lists of casualties, especially the heavy losses on the other side, we have today reached the point where Germany is trying to find a proposition to present to the United States that can become the basis for agreement, for mutual good offices, for continued peace and good will between these two of the three greatest industrial and commercial nations.—Lewiston Sun.

DIFFERENT BRANDS

The fact that automobiles killed and wounded more people in and about New York on July 4 than pistols and firecrackers did, leads the New York Tribune to conclude "we are certainly getting more civilized." Unfortunately there are different brands of civilization.—Burlington Free Press.

PASSENGERS FRIGHTENED

Miss Mulcahy Taken to Hospital After Short Circuit on Elevated Train at Beach Street Station

BOSTON, July 10.—As a four-car elevated train, bound for Sullivan square was leaving the Beach street station at 10.10 last night, there was a short circuit on the second car. The flash alarmed the passengers, of whom there were about 25. More frightened than the others was Mary Mulcahey of 375 Revere street, Winthrop, who was removed to the Relief hospital.

The train was brought back to Beach street, the passengers discharged and the train proceeded to the Sullivan square terminal. There was a delay of 10 minutes to traffic. Miss Mulcahey was found to be suffering from hysteria at the Relief hospital.

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WHAT HORTENSE TOLD ME

The prevailing state of mind, or character of thought, shapes the body and features. It makes us ugly or pleasant, or attractive or repulsive to others. Our thoughts shape our gestures, our mannerisms, our walk. The least movement of muscle has a mood of mind, a thought behind it. A mind, always determined, always has a determined walk.

A mind always weak, shifting, vacillating and uncertain makes a shuffling, shambling, uncertain gait. The spirit of determination braces every muscle. If you send from you in thought the elements of worry, fret, hatred, or grief, you are putting in action forces injurious to your mind and body. Look at the discontented, gloomy man or woman, and you see in their faces proof of the action of this silent force of their unpleasant thought, cutting, carving and shaping them to their present expression.

Most of us are aware of how invaluable pumice stone is for removing stains from the fingers, which stains, of course, make impossible beautiful hands, says Hortense. Wet both hands and the pumice stone thoroughly, and then rub gently until the stain has disappeared. For taking off the little black line that comes on the edges of your nails, it is equally useful if used as a file.

If the skin is rough and irritated by heat, try the oatmeal bath. Make a number of cheesecloth bags, four inches square, and fill them loosely with the following mixture: Five pounds of oatmeal, one pound of Florentine orris root powdered, one pound of almond meal, half a pound of castile soap scraped fine. This makes a large quantity but is cheapest when made in these proportions. One of these bags thrown into the warm plunge bath is most comforting and makes the skin soft and white.

Every woman likes to have a dainty, elusive perfume on one's hair, says Hortense. Shaking it into the hair is all right, but the best way is to make a close fitting cap lined with the sachet you like best. The cap should be lined with a thin silk, between which is sprinkled a liberal quantity of sachet.

The cap may be of any thin silk and is shaped like a close fitting Dutch cap with short ties. A flat bow, at the ends doubled under and scented with sachet and finished with a double bow, gives a nice appearance.

It is impossible to arrange the hair attractively if it is dry and split on the ends. There is no reason for this dry hair if you will practice the following treatment: Several times a week rub on your scalp a little castor oil. If you wish to make the odor of the oil more pleasant, have the druggist add oil of lavender to it. Do not fail to massage the scalp and brush the hair daily, if you wish to restore it to a healthy condition.

To improve the texture and color of the skin of the arms, says Hortense, give them a bath every day in water and pure mild soap. You can do this when you wash your face or take your bath in the morning, or later, just as you prefer. Use a complexion brush for the purpose, scrubbing them well and then rinsing thoroughly. If the skin is that ugly red shade one sometimes sees in young girls or in women whose complexions are rather florid, a lemon and glycerine bleach should be used. Rub a little glycerine over the skin and then rub over it immediately a cut lemon.

For whitening the hands there is nothing better than almond meal or oatmeal. Reduce either one to a fine powder, put it in a little white muslin bag and rub the bag over the hands while they are wet. Or the meal can be used dry and dusted over the hands after they have been dried.

Hortense holds that the daily use of rouge is apt eventually to make the skin look sallow. Girls of 18 or 20 should not require rouge, and it is best to use it only in the evening. At all times great care should be exercised to apply it carefully. Blend the edges and carry it well back to the ears, then a slight touch on the tip of the chin and if this makes the lips look pale tint the lips also. Take a pointed stick, cover the end with absorbent cotton, dip in the rouge and touch the lips very carefully, avoiding going beyond the neutral line of red.

Don't strive to cover up blemishes with paint and powder, but take good care of your general health, your teeth and hair. Have your face treated by an expert weekly and you can keep the skin soft, clear and unlined for many years.

It is not well to bathe the face in very cold water when you are overheated, says Hortense. Water just from the faucet with a little good toilet water or alcohol is better. Always remove all powder before retiring and give the pores a chance to breathe, then powder, if it is a good brand, will not injure the skin.

Women who carry the head correctly avoid the ugly, sagging, stringy pouch and will not acquire a double chin unless they become very stout. Always hold the chin well up when walking, reading or sewing; never drop the chin on the chest. A daily cold chin bath will also help to keep it firm.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

Mr. Gunther's House in Dracut Struck By Bolt But Not Seriously Damaged

The home of Chief Frank H. Gunther of the Dracut fire department located in Sladen street was struck by a bolt of lightning late yesterday afternoon, but unfortunately none of the occupants of the house was injured.

The bolt entered a room occupied as an office and tore considerable plaster off the wall, while things in the apartment were scattered all over the floor. Several telephone and fire alarm wires were put out of commission by the storm.

ST. COLUMBA'S PARISH

Baby Show Will Be Feature of Garden Party Next Wednesday Afternoon

A baby show will be the feature of the Wednesday afternoon program of St. Columba's parish garden party and already a large number of mothers have signified their intentions of entering their little ones. The winners will be awarded suitable prizes and there is great rivalry to see who will take the money. The baby show is only one of a great many attractions which will provide amusement for all who attend.

The party will continue on Wednesday evening and Thursday afternoon and evening with special attractions at each session. There will be the usual midway with all the "greatest on earth" novelties and indications point to a record attendance on both days. The affair is in charge of a capable committee and all members are working zealously for its success.

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SUN REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

APPLETON STOREHOUSE

Ground Broken on Jackson Street For Ten Story Structure—Other Operations

Judging from the noticeable drop in the number of permits issued at city hall the week of the holidays was a comparatively quiet one in building circles. Several new dwellings are being constructed and there are many enlarging, remodelling and repairing jobs in progress at the present time.

Among the most important of all the building operations in the city at present is the construction of the new 10-story warehouse of the Appleton Manufacturing company. A large force of men has been constantly at work clearing and breaking the ground in Jackson street where the new structure will be situated. The warehouse when completed will be an imposing affair, besides being in every way up to date and equipped with the latest apparatus. It will have a large ell on the side and rear. Elevators will be installed and the shafts fireproofed. The entire building, it is stated, will be absolutely fireproof.

On the property at 181 Chelmsford street, owned by the heirs of E. Sheldon and leased by John T. Brennan, a storage shed will be constructed. The material will be wood, and the cost of building is placed at $75.

George Haithwaite is building a new residence at 37 Georgia avenue. Mr. Haithwaite's new house will have eight rooms, pantry and bath. The building will be of wood with a stone foundation and will be heated by steam. Its measurements are to be 28½ feet by 29 feet, and it will have an ell 18½ by 6. The house will cost in the vicinity of $2500.

A new garage of concrete block and concrete foundation is to be built for Adele Begin at 114 Ford street. It will be 20 by 30 feet, fireproof, and will cost $200.

Joseph Gargan has received a permit from the city authorities to have constructed a foundation for a dwelling 19 by 29 feet. The foundation will be of stone and will cost approximately $100, according to the estimate.

Melvina A. Roby will erect a new dwelling of one apartment at 374 Pine street. This new house will have seven rooms, pantry, bath, sewing room and a spacious sleeping porch. It will be 32 by 29 feet, will be heated by steam apparatus and the cost is estimated at $2500.

The doors in the First Free Baptist church in Paige street will be replaced by new ones and a permit for this work has been received from the building department at city hall. The new doors will be of the swinging variety, having panelled sides and plate glass fronts. They will be erected at a cost of $100.

Mrs. Thomas Stott of 209 Nesmith street is having her garage enlarged by an addition. The floor will be lowered a considerable distance and constructed of concrete. The addition will adjoin the front of the present structure.

The one-apartment dwelling at 682 School street, the property of Anna Tucke, will be enlarged into a two-tenement house. Additions and interior and exterior alterations will be made on the property. The addition will adjoin the side and rear of the present property and a two-story piazza will be erected. On the interior new fixtures in baths and toilets will be installed, partitions removed and other repairs made. The expense is estimated at $450.

PREVENTABLE FIRE WASTE

When you are building your home, build to avoid fire risks. See how your flues are actually built. A vitrified tile flue lining from the basement through the roof will make trouble from defective flues less probable. A flue lining has its advantages, for a brick chimney with a tile lining does not require as much space as a solid brick chimney wall. With the best laid brick work, a settlement of the wall is likely to open a crack in the brick work and expose surrounding work. It has been estimated that 15 per cent. of the total number of fires in this country are attributed to defective flues. No timber work of a house should come within an inch of the flue proper. All floors and walls should be framed around the chimney with at least an inch of space between. A brick arch should be turned under the hearth of a fireplace, so that no wood shall come within 20 inches of an open fire.

If a frame house is built, as is often the case so that the studding is open from the basement wall to the plate at the roof, each section of studding forms a flue which would be likely to "draw" in case a fire should start under it. Fire "stops" at each floor make a good construction, and prevent rats and mice from having a free run in the walls, as well.

Electric wiring is supposed to be the cause of innumerable fires. When live wires have only their own insulation between them and combustible material, a short circuit or a flash of lightning is likely to make trouble. All electric wiring should be placed in non-conducting tubes and if properly done will not be the cause of fire.

Is there a bunch of shavings, old papers, dried grass or leaves, piled up against your barn where a tramp might happen to throw a match after he had lighted his pipe? If you leave it there, do not blame the tramp when the barn burns.

Your property is fully insured against fire and perhaps you do not fear any loss from that cause. How much premium do you pay annually? The amount is a tax which the fire fiend collects from you to pay for your neighbor's carelessness and to replace the vast actual waste each year from the material and the labor goes up in smoke.

The most appalling thing about it is that much of this waste is preventable, and yet continues from year to year.—Keith's Magazine.

A FIREPLACE NOOK

There is architectural value in the fireplace nook. It possesses many attractive features and offers many comforts. It is an alluring invitation to all who enter the room.

Recently it was suggested that a more inviting and home-like appearance could be imparted to a room by building a nook with furniture, evidence that already the home lover feels the need of this semi-private retreat.

It carries with it a suggestion of intimate companionship that can be imparted to a room in no other way. It is an attraction that may be added to city, suburban or country home at very low cost and is one that pays.

Scene: A cold winter evening, a comfortable chair, a subdued light, a good story, a good cigar, perhaps a cigaret or box of chocolates.

A living room provided with a well designed fireplace nook is half furnished. Viewed from that angle it would prove an economy rather than an expense. It provides seats, lounge, davenport, bookcases, catch-alls, wood boxes and other conveniences, and, best of all, it gives all who enter the room a sense of satisfaction in having found one place that is all the heart can desire.

TO AVOID DINGY STUCCO

Critical examination shows that stucco is a more or less porous material which, in smoky atmospheres sometimes absorbs the soot-laden water with which it is brought into contact. During a rainy season considerable soot is carried into the pores and the color of the stucco becomes perceptibly darker. It has been found that this pore-filling process only lasts two or three years, however, at the end of which time the pores of the stucco were completely filled or clogged with the soot.

The natural action thus observed suggests a method for overcoming this difficulty. Fill the pores with a white or colorless waterproof substance before the natural process has had time in which to fill them with soot and dirt.

There are two ways by which this result may be accomplished. At the time the stucco is being mixed a small quantity of a reliable integral waterproofing should be added to the water used in the process of mixing. Only a small quantity need be used and the cost should not exceed 1½ cents per square foot, or about $35 for an ordinary eight-room residence. The integral paste or powder is carried into the pores and it is found that the stucco so treated is permanently waterproof and stainproof.

The second method is used to waterproof and stainproof after the completion of the building. It sometimes happens that the builder does not learn of the integral method until it is too late to use it, and in this case a colorless waterproofing method supplies the omission. It is a wonderfully simple process, inexpensive and practically as efficient as the integral method. The surface may be brushed with two coats of a colorless waterproofing, the liquid enters the pores and there deposits a clear, colorless, water-resistant substance which effectively protects it from rain and smoke.—Keith's Magazine.

THE TEA COSEY

The tea cosey is as essential to English housekeeping as the tea pot, and is often extremely ornamental, of handsome brocade heavily embroidered in silk. Sometimes the cosey is plainly covered with silk or satin and is fitted with a detachable cover of embroidered linen or lace, which can be removed when it becomes soiled.

With ourselves the tea habit is not so general, and the cosey is conspicuously absent, but it serves a useful purpose at the piazza supper. It may be of any of a number of shapes, the best being a half oval. Another sort is much like a bishop's mitre, being made of four sections curving to a point at the top, the seams defined with a cord. The cosey should be large enough to cover the tea pot easily, and be generously wadded, or else filled with down, and the lining should be of thin silk matching the outside.

In color it should either harmonize with the china, or be of the same general color as the dining room walls. A very serviceable cosey can be made of velveteen, olive, gray blue, or rose red, embroidered with a large initial, in crewels heavily padded.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending Jhly 10

LOWELL

David A. McCarthy et al. to Christos Chopelas, land and buildings on Cross street.

Florence D. Marshall et al. to Cherles W. Holmes, land on Varnum avenue.

H. Joseph Lambert et ux. to M. Elizabeth Whitney, land and buildings corner Cumberland road and Fisher street.

M. Elizabeth Whitney to John R. Peacock, land and buildings corner Cumberland road and Fisher street.

Maria E. Smith et al. to Maria C. Harrigan, land on Foster street.

Charles I. Hood et ux. to Ellen T. Donehue, land on Frothingham street.

Dennis E. Connors et al. to City Iron Foundry, land on Montreal and Plain streets.

Mary Riordan to Moise Soulnier et ux., land and buildings on Woodward avenue.

Arthur W. Huguley et ux. to Edwin P. Littlehale, land corner Middlesex street and Putnam avenue.

Warren Land Trust Co., by trs. to Maria N. Grinnell, land at Lawn Hill.

Joseph Gregoire to Catherine L. Gregoire, land and buildings on Moody street.

Catherine L. Gregoire et al., to Arvila Sawyer, land and buildings on Moody street.

William H. Fagan et ux. to James M. Fagan, land and buildings on Newhall street.

Margaret Flaherty to Frank Krojewski et ux., land corner West L and Fulton streets.

George D. Kimball to Maude A. Hosford, land on Dartmouth street.

Charles H. McEvoy, et ux. to Manuel J. Avila, land and buildings on Charles street.

Mary A. B. Murphy et al. to Henry J. O'Dowd, land and buildings on Methuen street.

Frank H. Miles et ux. to Ellen M. Peard, land corner Bridge and West Ninth streets.

Thomas Doyle to Martha H. Gilmore, land on Walnut street.

Jean B. Morin et ux. by mtgee. to Israel Levin, land corner Moody and Austin streets.

George M. Reed to William B. Moffatt, land on Daniels street.

Joseph Gregoire to Catherine L. Gregoire, land on Jefferson street.

Catherine L. Gregoire to Demitrios Anastasiw, land on Jefferson street.

BILLERICA

Edward J. Purcell et ux. to John S. Ash, land and buildings at Nuttings Lake Park Annex.

Herbert A. King et ux. to A. Warren Stearns, land and buildings on Andover road.

CARLISLE

Sidney A. Davis et ux. to George H. Baker, land on River road to Concord.

DRACUT

Fred C. Tobey Land Co., by tr., to Amy Secord, land at Collins Park.

George Selzam et al., by mtgee's exor., to William E. Newton, land and buildings at Kenwood.

Joseph Migneault to William R. Folsom, land on Percy street.

Charles J. Drendel est., by admx., to Paul R. Merrill, land and buildings on Swain street.

TEWKSBURY

Grace V. Nickerson to Sarah E. Shine, land on Bond and South streets and Lakeview avenue.

TYNGSBORO

Ella A. Matthews et al., to Fred A. Coburn, land cor. Bryant's Lane and road to Dunstable.

WILMINGTON

Edward S. Eaton et ux. to Arminio Nigri, land on Pratt street.

Edward S. Eaton et ux., to Charles H. Burnett, land on Smith street.

Algernon Weymouth to Cyril E. Gosse, land on Shawsheen avenue.

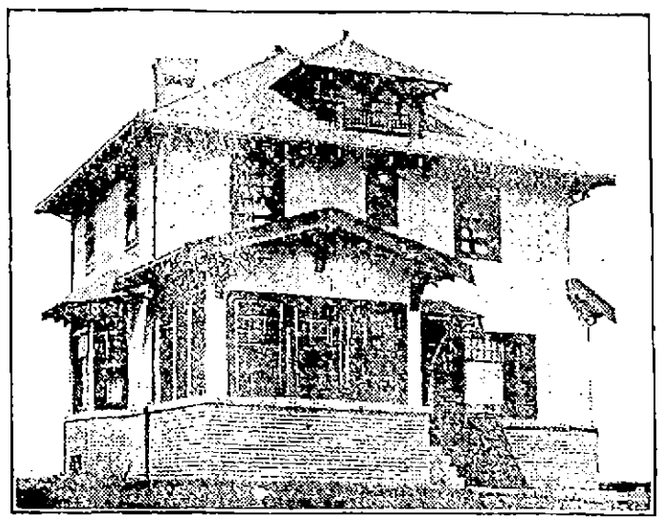
True H. Files et ux., to Michael P. Geary, land at Oakland Park.

James E. Burke, tr., to Annie E. Walsnor, land at Wilmington Gardens.

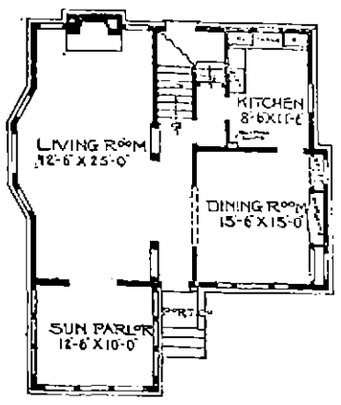
James E. Burke tr., to George Wilson, land at Wilmington Gardens.

James T. Maguire to Michael J. Gilligan, land on Main and Cottage streets and Grove avenue.

Brick Veneer and Rough Cast



z PERSPECTIVE VIEW—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH.



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

A very striking exterior, with brick veneer carried up to the height of the first story window sills, and the rough cast made of pure white, with cornice, rafter ends and window frames stained brown, and a moss green stain for the shingles on the roof. The brick would be a dark red, thus giving a very pleasing combination. Large living-room running across the entire side, and a sun room in front, closed off with French doors. Dining room, with built-in sideboard and china closets, with high windows above same. Three chambers in the second story, and good closet space. Size 30 feet wide and 26 feet deep, over the main part. Full basement, 7 feet high. First story, 9 feet; second story, 8 feet. Finish, red oak or birch throughout first and second stories. Birch or maple floors throughout. Cost to build, exclusive of heating and plumbing, $3,200.

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John D. Rockefeller's employes at his Forest Hill (Cleveland) estate are taking every precaution to protect Mr. Rockefeller when he goes to Cleveland on his summer visit. The heavy iron and wire fence which surrounds part of the estate in East Cleveland has been strengthened, and rows of barbed wire have been placed along the top. More barbed wire entanglements have been placed on the high stone wall along the Euclid avenue side and wire strung through the 10-foot hedge which runs along one side of the grounds. Additional watchmen have been placed at the main gate, and the cards of admission issued heretofore to citizens who wished to view the beautiful grounds have been recalled.

JUST ESCAPE STRAY BULLET

H. H. Deslauriers and J. J. Morin Frightened in Ware—Missile Falls to Sidewalk Between Them

WARE, July 10.—H. H. Deslauriers and Joseph I. Morin were badly frightened yesterday noon while walking home to dinner on North street by a bullet which whizzed through the air and fell to the sidewalk between them.

The bullet probably came from a rifle, as it seemed to be too large for a revolver. Up to a late hour today the owner of the rifle had not been discovered.

FOR CHAMPION WILLARD

HIS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE CALLED AT SUN OFFICE—WILLARD WILL POSITIVELY COME

Melville B. Raymond, the personal representative of Jesse Willard, was in town yesterday looking after the interests of the champion who is positively to appear with Ranch 101 Wild West show July 16.

For the first time in the history of the "fight game" a champion will be seen with an enterprise that can be attended by people of all ages and classes, and at a price far below the sum asked in former days. Willard—the Cowboy Champion—will visit our city in conjunction with The 101 Ranch Wild West, and what could be more in keeping than his association with that unusual aggregation, for he was originally a cow boy, long before he even thought of the championship, he was "punching steers" on the western range. Willard is really not a "prize fighter," in the use of the term we once looked on a man of that calling. Only four years ago he concluded he was large enough and strong enough to whip "the black," and with that object in view, he began to train himself to handle the gloves. His first thought was to bring the championship back to the white race, the money he would be able to make by so doing, was really an afterthought. Big enough he certainly was, six feet, six inches tall, with a reach—arms extended, of practically 84 inches, and a physique that is pronounced perfect, he was a fit aspirant for the position he sought. Every one knows how well he succeeded, how in the 26th.—that he will reproduce in the Wild West, he defeated his opponent. Every one also knows how clean living and lack of dissipation was the real foundation of the young fellow's success. Perhaps nothing ever took place in America, so vividly taught the youths of this country, the advantage of "no dissipation."

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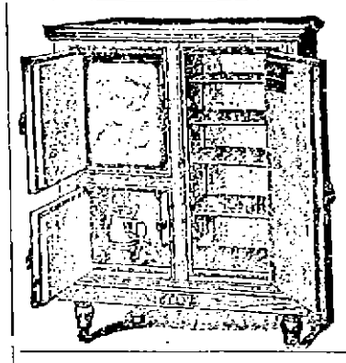

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FOR HIGH SCHOOL

Conference at City Hall Suggests High School Commission

A conference called for the purpose of considering the acquisition of land in Anne and Kirk streets for a new high school was held in the mayor's reception room at city hall yesterday afternoon, beginning at about 4.45 o'clock. Parties to the conference included the mayor, Commissioners Duncan and Putnam and Messrs. Lambert, Elliott, Leggat and Caisse. The proposition was either to purchase or otherwise acquire the land necessary for a new high school and Mr. Elliott, who is conversant with estate, particularly in the location in question, was delegated to see the property owners and ascertain the prices they set on their property. Another conference will be held Tuesday night and at that time Mr. Elliott will report the result of his conferences with the property owners.

All parties to the conference sanctioned the peaceful acquisition of the property if possible and if the property owners will agree to sell their properties for reasonable sums no seizure will be made. Mr. Elliott stated that he never knew of property either in Anne or Kirk streets selling as high as its assessed value. Mr. Duncan said that the assessed value is not necessarily the market value and gave as his opinion that if the property were seized and an appeal were taken to the court a jury would find that the assessed value is too high.

Mr. Elliott said he believed in offering a fair market price for the land. "I don't believe in having any dickering about it," he said, and his suggestion seemed to strike a popular chord. He said he would ask the property owners if they were willing to sell to the city for the prices which they gave him some time ago.

Dr. Lambert asked about the Knights of Columbus and Mayor Murphy suggested that their rooms might be used for class rooms. Dr. Lambert said it might work quite a hardship on the Knights of Columbus if they were obliged to vacate at once. Commissioner Putnam said it would be necessary to decide if they were going to be allowed to remain until fall. Commissioner Duncan thought all tenants should be given reasonable time to get out.

Dr. Lambert asked if the council had decided to make a start on a new high school this year and Mayor Murphy said the council had planned to do so. Mr. Duncan thought that an out-of-town architect should be employed, a perfectly disinterested party, and Dr. Lambert suggested a commission to look after the building of the school. Mr. Leggat was not very much in favor of a commission and remarked that Lowell had not obtained very good results from the two last commissions, namely the Huntington hall and Contagious hospital commissions. Dr. Lambert said that one good thing about a commission it would go through with a project as a continuous body. "We will not all be in office during the building of the school," he said.

Dr. Lambert said it would be up to the school committee to collect data for plans. "We will have to furnish some idea of what is wanted and supply some details," he said. The style of architecture was mentioned and it seemed the consensus of opinion that it would be best to follow as closely as possible the lines of the old building. It was also the consensus of opinion that not another dollar should be spent on temporary quarters. The discussion also included the much talked of additions to the Pawtucket, Bartlett, Highland and Lincoln schools, but no definite action was taken.

Adjourned at 5.30 to meet Tuesday night at 9 o'clock.

NURSES ALUMNAE MEET

GRADUATES OF ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL HELD BUSINESS MEETING AND ENJOYED MUSICALE

The regular meeting of the Nurses Alumnae association of St. John's hospital was held last evening at the home of Miss Ella Quinn, 53 Nesmith street, with 20 members in attendance. Miss Annie Nash, president of the association, presided, and much business of importance was transacted. A very interesting paper by Dr. William M. Jones, referring to the early history of the hospital and the development of the nursing profession, was read, and there was a discussion of timely topics. Following the transaction of routine business there was a delightful musical program with songs by Miss Alice Dacey, Miss Mary Quinn and others. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening spent. It was announced that a special meeting of importance will be held at the hospital next Monday evening, and that the next meeting of the association will be at the home of Miss Helen O'Rourke.

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LOWELL MEN ARE PROSPERING

Hon. John T. Sparks Tells of Trip to Hamilton, Ont.

Met Many Former Lowell People There—Is a Beautiful City

HON. JOHN T. SPARKS

Hon. John T. Sparks, the West Centralville druggist, has returned from a very pleasant trip to Hamilton, Ont., where he was the guest for a week of Frank Monette, a former Lowell man, now superintendent of the Canadian Knitting Co., and James Thomson, a former overseer at the Lawrence Mfg. Co., and now head of the Zimmerman Knitting Co. This was Mr. Sparks' second trip to the Canadian city but on the first occasion he did not remain long enough to get a good idea of the city, which he believes within a few years will be ahead of Lowell in every respect.

Mr. Sparks during his stay in Hamilton met a score or more of former Lowellites, who are established there with their families, and who are all doing well. He attended the great horse race under the auspices of the Hamilton Jockey club, he being one of the 10,000 people on the grounds. A feature with the races was the free betting. He said thousands of dollars changed hands on that day. This was last Thursday, what was known as Dominion day. People from all over Canada attended the races and it was stated a delegation of about 5000 went there from Ottawa.

The race track is one of the best in the country and horsemen from the states and Canada entered their steeds in the race, the affair being a running race instead of trotting. The city was thronged with visitors on that day and the entire program was carried out without the slightest hitch.

The population of Hamilton is about 100,000, and the city is as clean as a whistle. The streets are wide and all the sidewalks are of concrete. There is not an apartment house in the city, the buildings being all of the cottage type. An apartment house is now being erected, however. This will contain several flats and the rent will be $100 a month for each. Each dwelling along the streets is surrounded by a large lawn and the scenery in the city is most beautiful.

The streets are all well lighted by electricity, the "juices" being supplied from the Niagara Falls, a distance of 40 miles. Electricity for lighting and power is very cheap and most of the houses are lighted by electricity. The others use *natural* gas. The city is spreading, and it is a fact that during the past eight years the population has doubled. The lights in the streets are on reinforced concrete poles and very pretty.

There are numerous industries in the city and a couple of American companies are now installing large plants, one for electrical fixtures and the other for a soap factory. The Canadian Knitting Co. and the Zimmerman Knitting Co., two prosperous companies, are being conducted by former Lowell men. The first by Frank Monette, who recently distinguished himself in the industry line by putting out a large war order for underwear and stockings in a month. When the order was taken it was believed by those who knew the business that it would be impossible for the Canadian Knitting Co. to fill the order, but Mr. Monette came to the states, had knitting machines from an idle plant removed to his plant, and a working crew of 300 was employed, working day and night, and the order for the British soldiers was delivered on time.

James Thomson, who is also well known in Lowell as a former overseer at the Lawrence hosiery, is handling the affairs of the Zimmerman Knitting Co., of which he is one of the proprietors, and his plant is running full time with plenty of work. This concern is hiring a large number of help, including some former Lowellites. Among the former Lowell people met by Mr. Sparks during his stay at Hamilton are the following: Hugh Rogers, Arthur Boucher, Percy Smith, Charles Waugh, J. Laroche, M. Doucette, Henry Christian, Edouard Prattle and others. Henry Christian and Percy Smith are holding responsible positions in hosieries.

Mr. Sparks while in Hamilton paid particular attention to the jitney bus business. He said there are about 100 of the jitneys working in the city and they seemed to be conducting a profitable business. Of course last week was a gala week in Hamilton and 10,000 or more visitors in the city might have helped to increase the business for the jitneys.

Charles Robinson, a former Lowell printer, who went to Hamilton a few years ago, was in the paper box business and was doing well, but a few weeks ago he got tired of the business, sold out and went west with his family. He will tour the expositions in California and it is probable he will settle in the Golden state.

Stock Market Closing Prices, July 9

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	72¾	70¼	70¼
Am Beet Sugar	46¼	45¼	45½
Am Can	46½	45¼	45¼
Am Can pf	101	100¾	100¾
Am Car & Fn	53¼	52½	52½
Am Cot Oil	44¼	44¼	44¼
Am Hide & L pg	33½	32	32
Am Locomo	46	43½	43½
Am Smelt & R	77⅜	74	74
Am Sugar Rfn	106	105¾	106
Anaconda	34½	33¼	33¼
Atchison	99⅜	99	99
Atch pf	97	97	97
Balt & Ohio	75⅞	75	75⅛
Balt & O pf	70	69¾	69¾
Br. Rap Tran	87	86½	86½
Canadian Pa	143	141½	141½
Cent Leather	41⅞	40⅝	40¾
Ches & Ohio	36¼	35⅝	36¼
Chi & Gt W	10⅜	10⅛	10⅛
Col Fuel	31½	30⅞	30⅞
Den & Rio G	5½	5½	5½
Den & R G pf	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
Dis Secur Co	22	20½	20½
Erie	25¾	24¾	24¾
Erie 1st pf	39	38⅞	38⅞
Gen Elec	165	163½	163½
Gt North pf	115½	114¾	114¾
Gt N Ore ctf	34⅜	33⅞	33⅞
Illinois Cen	101	100½	101
Int Met Com	21	19¾	19¾
Int Met pf	72½	71¾	71½
Kan City So	23	21	21
Kan & Texas	6½	6	6¼
Kan & T pf	21	18⅞	19
Lehigh Valley	140¼	138⅝	138⅝
Louis & Nash	106½	105⅞	106½
Missouri Pa	3½	3	3½
Nat Lead	59¾	59¾	59¾
N Y Air Brake	90¾	90	90
N Y Central	86	82½	82½
North Pacific	102½	101½	101½
Ont & West	26½	26½	26½
Pennsylvania	105¾	104⅞	104⅞
People's Gas	114½	114½	114½
Pressed Steel	45½	44	44
Pullman Co	156	155⅛	155⅛
Reading	146⅛	144	144
Rep Iron & S	29¼	28⅛	28⅛
Rep I & S pf	87½	86⅞	87¾
St. Paul	80	78½	79½
So Pacific	85⅛	84	84
Southern Ry	14⅛	13½	14
Southern Ry pf	45	43⅞	43½
Tenn Copper	35¾	34⅝	34⅝
Third Ave	52	51½	51½
Union Pacific	125¼	123	123¼
Union Pac pf	80½	80	80½
U S Rub	46½	46	46
U S Steel	59¾	58⅛	58¼
U S Steel pf	109½	109½	109½
U S Steel 5s	101¾	101½	101⅝
Utah Copper	66⅞	65	65
Wab R R pf	¼	¼	¼
Westinghouse	95¾	90¼	91
Western Un	66	66	66

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, July 9.—Reflecting the weakness in the New York list the local market developed an easier tone today with New Haven and Boston & Maine the weak features.

STRONG AT OPENING

WAR SPECIALTIES FEATURE WITH GAINS OF 1 to 3 POINTS TRADING ACTIVE

NEW YORK, July 9.—War specialties were the feature of today's strong opening with gains of 1 to 3 points. Representative railways also recovered from yesterday's heaviness, Union Pacific, Canadian Pacific and Reading gaining 1 to 1 1-2 points, with more moderate advances in copper and obscure industrials. U. S. Steel rose 1-2 point on fair demand. Offsetting features included Missouri Pacific, Missouri, Kansas & Texas and Southern railway preferred which descended to new low prices. Trading was broad and fairly active.

A sharp reversal occurred before the end of the first hour under lead of New Haven which broke steadily to 55 1-2, a loss of 5 points. Reading and Union Pacific also developed heaviness and other active stocks fell under yesterday's lowest prices. There also was a recurrency of weakness in secondary railways with a new low price for St. Paul. U. S. Steel was strongest of the speculative favorites but even in that stock signs of selling were observed in every advance. American Coal Products was prominent among the high priced specialties with a gain of 11 points. Further persistent selling for Europe was the feature of the bond list.

Union Pacific and Reading developed greater heaviness in the early afternoon and the low priced Rwy shares, including Rock Island and Chesapeake & Ohio, made further losses. New Haven recovered a small part of its decline.

New York Central, Lehigh Valley and Amalgamated Copper developed sudden weakness in the last hour and helped to carry prices in general to lower levels. The closing was heavy.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, July 9.—Mercantile paper 3 and 3 1-2. Sterling: Sixty day bills, 4.73; demand, 4.7700; cables, 4.7755. Francs: Demand, 5.84 1-4; cables, 5.83 1-2. Marks: Demand, 81 5-8; cables, 81 3-4. Lires: Demand, 6.14; cables, 6.13. Rubles: Demand, 36 1-8, cables, 36 3-8. Bar silver, 47 5-8. Mexican dollars, 36 1-2. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds heavy.

Time loans steady; sixty days, 2 1-2; ninety days, 2 1-2 and 2 3-4; six months, 3.

Call money steady; high, 2; low, 13-4; ruling rate, 2; last loan, 1 7-8; closing bid, 1 3-4; offered at 1 7-8.

BOSTON MARKET

RAILROADS

	High	Low	Close
Bos & Maine	28¾	24	28
N Y & N H	60¾	55⅝	55¾

MINING

	High	Low	Close
Alaska Gold	37¾	37	37
American zinc	66½	65¼	65¼
Arcadian	10½	10⅜	10⅜
Ariz Com	7½	7½	7½
Butte & Superior	70¾	69¼	69¼
Cal & Ariz	63⅝	63⅛	63⅛
Cal & Hecla	557	550	550
Chino	44½	44⅛	44⅛
Copper Range	53½	53	53
Granby	86	86	86
Greene-Cananea	37	36	36
Hancock	17	17	17
Indiana	6	6	6
Isle Royale	27½	27	27
Kerr Lake	4⅝	4⅞	4⅞
Lake	13½	13	13
La Salle	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
Mass	11½	11	11⅛
Mayflower	4½	4¼	4¼
Miami	27¾	26⅞	26⅞
Michigan	1½	1½	1½
Mohawk	73	72	72
Nevada	14¾	14	14
Nipissing	5⅞	5¾	5¾
North Butte	30½	30	30½
Old Dominion	52	52	52
Osceola	85	85	85
Ray Con	23¼	22¾	22¾
Shannon	8	8	8
Superior	26¾	26½	26½
Superior & Boston	2⅞	2¾	2¾
Tamarack	35	35	35
Trinity	4½	4½	4½
U S Smelting	41½	39¾	40
U S Smelting pf	46	46	46
Utah-Apex	4⅛	4	4
Utah Cons	13¼	13¼	13¼
Wolverine	61	61	61

TELEPHONE

	High	Low	Close
Am Tel & Tel	120¾	120	120
New Eng Tel	131	131	131

MISCELLANEOUS

	High	Low	Close
Am Ag Chem pf	94½	94½	94½
Am Woolen pf	84⅞	84⅛	84⅛
Island Creek Coal	48¼	48¼	48¼
Mass Gas	88	88	88
Pond Creek	16⅛	16	16⅛
Swift & Co	113	112	112
United Fruit	134½	133½	133½
United Sh M	50¾	50	50
United Sh M pf	29	28¾	29

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, July 9.—Cotton futures opened steady. July 8.68; Oct. 9.25; Dec. 9.52; January, 9.56; Mar. 9.83.

Cotton futures closed barely steady. July 8.61; Oct. 9.08; Dec. 9.34; Jan. 9.42; Mar. 9.67.

Spot quiet; middling 9.00.

EXCHANGES

NEW YORK, July 9.—$349,610,345; balances, $20,447,019.

WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

DRESSING UP THE BACK YARD

"I wish I could fix our back yard up pretty and cool appearing," said Marjorie, as she gazed off to her aunt's well kept garden back of the house.

"I don't know why you can't accomplish that wish," returned Marie. "Of course the summer yard must have its hammock for lazy hours of rest or reading and a swinging bed hammock with bright cushions and an awning overhead is very ornamental under a clump of trees or against a big bush.

"More and more interest is being paid to the developing of beauty in a small yard, but a hit or miss arrangement will not have the dignity desirable and experimenting is impossible with the planting of things that must be put in the ground to stay. The finished effect has to be conceived in the imagination—in the mind's eye, so to speak.

"Rustic furniture is best for your yard, I think. Against the green of the hedge, a curved white settee would be delightful. The shape would suggest a cosy chat and a tea table might be set within the curved circle. Such an article of lawn furniture, placed against a clump of shrubbery, or under a shady tree, will lend distinction to the yard.

"A new kind of garden furniture for the summer nook is the familiar rustic birch sold with flat slab crosspieces changed a trifle in color. Tint this furniture a rich forest green and then shellac it. The contrast of green slats and the uprights of natural birch is also very pleasing. There is a roughness of suggestion about this furniture that makes it ideal for outdoors.

SEIZED FOOD SUPPLIES

REPORT GERMAN OFFICERS WITHHELD FOOD SENT FOR RELIEF OF BELGIANS

ROTTERDAM, Holland, via London, July 9, 2.47 p. m.—It is reported here that the German military authorities in several of the Belgian provinces in an effort to force the civilians to work for the army of occupation, have withheld food supplies sent in by the commission for the relief of Belgium.

GENERAL INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, July 9.—A general investigation of the rates and practices of all common carriers in the United States in connection with transportation of lumber and lumber products was announced today by the interstate commerce commission. Hearing will be set later.

WEEKLY BANK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, July 9.—Dun's weekly bank clearings, $2,957,158,065 compared with $2,584,364,322 last year. New York city reports an increase of 18.0 per cent over last year.

While this expansion can in part be attributed to greater activity in the stock and other speculative markets a considerable portion is also undoubtedly due to the broadening volume of business in ordinary commercial and industrial lines.

HELP FOR THE WOUNDED

POLISH RESIDENTS OF THIS CITY HAVE RAISED $1000 IN ADDITION TO FORMER FUND

Since the flag day conducted by the Polish people of this city some weeks ago over $1000 has been raised from various sources for the relief of the stricken people in Russian Poland by the Polish people of this city. Entertainments have been conducted by a number of churches and societies, and subscriptions both in money and in clothing and food are being taken up regularly. The money, food and clothing obtained in this way are first forwarded to the Polish headquarters in Switzerland and from there to the old country.

According to a prominent Polish worker, an enormous sum of money has been sent from this country to Russian hospitals for the maintenance of the soldiers and he claims that this shouldn't be done, as the soldiers are very well taken care of by the Russian government, and have everything they desire. This is also proven by the story of Mrs. Kozakiewicz, wife of the East Merrimack street dye house proprietor who recently returned from the besieged country after undergoing all kinds of hardships. She says the soldiers in the hospitals are being well taken care of, and that any money sent from this country for relief should be sent to the poor, wandering starving people, who for the most part are obliged to obtain whatever sustenance they can in the woods.

A number of Polish people were interviewed by a Sun representative today and all of them have received letters from the old country within the past few weeks. But there is little of interest in the letters, and the Polish people in this city have little or no means at the present time of finding out what is going on in the home country. The censorship is severe.

F. B. SANBORN FINED $10

PUBLICIST, WHO REFUSED TO CONNECT HOUSE WITH SEWER, WILL APPEAL CASE

CONCORD, July 9.—Frank B. Sanborn, the publicist, who for nearly a year has resisted the efforts of the town authorities to compel him to have his house connected with the public sewer, was fined $10 a day for violation of the health laws. Mr. Sanborn announced that he would appeal the case in order to determine the constitutionality of the statute compelling sewer connections.

OUTINGS ARE PLANNED

NEXT WEEK WILL SEND MANY TO THE BEACH AND ELSEWHERE

Mountain Rock will be the scene of the annual outing of the members of the Dracut Congregational church today, and present indications point to the affair being a grand success.

One special car chartered by Conductor Erickson and Motorman Lussiers will also take several Chelmsford Centre people to Bass Point for a day's outing. This is an annual event conducted by these two employes of the Street Railway company.

On Wednesday morning of next week two cars will leave Chandler's corner, Tewksbury, loaded down with the members of the Tewksbury Congregational Sunday School whose destination will be Canobie Lake. The outing is an annual event and will be in charge of the pastor of the church, Rev. Sarah A. Dixon.

The Immaculate Conception Sodality of the Immaculate Conception church will enjoy the sea breezes at Revere beach on the same day, the members of the society going in one special car. The affair is in charge of a committee headed by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O. M. I. The start will be made at 9.15 a. m. and the cars will leave on the homeward trip at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Thursday will be a big day for the Bay State Street Railway Co., no less than seven special cars being chartered by private parties or concerns for that day.

One car will take the employes of Friend Bros. bakery to Revere beach at 8.15 a. m., and the return trip will be made shortly after 6 o'clock in the evening.

The employes of Saunder's market will also sojourn at Revere for the day, leaving on one big special at 8 o'clock in the morning. Motorman James Fitzgerald and Conductor M. McMahon will be in charge of the car.

The Bon Marche employes will leave the square at 8.15 on one special car for Revere. The outing will be in charge of a committee headed by Chairman Moise Saulnier.

The members of Eastern Star lodge, Puritan chapter, will leave the square shortly before 7 o'clock for Nahant. The car is charged to C. G. Anderson.

Mountain Rock will be the scene of the annual outing of the members of the Pawtucketville Congregational church on that day and a number of special cars will run to the resort.

MEXICAN IS ARRESTED

JOSE A. ROBLES, FORMER GENERAL, TAKEN TO JAIL IN DEFAULT OF BAIL

EL PASO, Tex., July 9.—Jose Alesio Robles, former Mexican general, was arrested by federal authorities today charged with conspiracy to violate the United States neutrality laws. In default of $5000 bonds he was taken to jail.

Robles was named in the charges filed by federal authorities at San Antonio, including those against Gen. Victoriano Huerta and five others arrested with him and now held in the county jail.

Robles was a brigadier general under the late Porfirio Diaz and for a time was in command of the Tampico garrison under the Huerta regime.

PRES. THAYER INDICTED

HEAD OF STEAMSHIP COMPANY AND THREE BROKERS CHARGED WITH SUPPLYING GERMANS

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—Philip R. Thayer, president of the Northern & Southern Steamship company, and Joseph Bley, R. H. Swayne and J. S. Hoyt, shipping brokers, were arrested today on indictments returned by the federal grand jury yesterday charging violation of American neutrality in connection with the transfer of supplies to German warships by the steamer Sacramento.

After the arrests it was announced that the firms of C. D. Bunker & Co. of which Bley is a member, Swayne & Hoyt and the Northern & Southern Steamship Co. have been indicted on charges of making a false manifest and of obtaining clearance fraudulently.

Dr. Thomas Addis of Lane hospital, alleged examining physician for British recruiting agents, also was arrested today and gave bond on two indictments charging hiring and retaining recruits and conspiring to do so.

INSPECT HOLT LETTERS

2000 GONE OVER BY POLICE—NOTHING TO INDICATE THAT HE HAD ACCOMPLICE

NEW YORK, July 9.—Nearly 2000 letters found among the effects of Frank Holt at Ithaca have been gone over carefully by the police, it was announced today and not a single sentence has been found among them to indicate that he had an accomplice in his program of terrorism by bomb and assassination.

The letters were written in French, Italian, Spanish, German and English and dated as far back as 1906. In one of the letters—from the secretary of Andrew Carnegie—it was learned that Holt had offered to go to China to teach and to take his wife with him as a missionary. He had written that he could not do this, however, for $1000 a year, and hoped that Mr. Carnegie could make it $1500."

Two letters from an aunt of Holt, in Leipsic, Germany, were found. So far as could be learned they contained no reference to Holt's life as Erich Muenter. Other letters showed that Holt had exchanged views on topics of the day and public questions with college presidents. A copy of a letter sent by him to Mrs. Ballington Booth told of his success in having induced a prison official to introduce welfare work in the prison.

It was said to be generally believed now that Holt worked alone and that no one else even knew of his plans.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING

FALL RIVER, July 9.—Nelson Fontaine, chauffeur for John S. Brayton of this city, was killed by lightning in the garage at Mr. Brayton's summer home at Westport Harbor last night. His body was found this morning.

EIGHT PERSONS INJURED

BOSTON, July 9.—An elevator carrying nine persons fell eight stories in a Tremont street building this afternoon. Eight persons were injured or scared, five of them being removed to a hospital. Safety appliances checked the speed of the car in its drop, and undoubtedly prevented a more serious accident.

CHARLES L. KELECHINER
New Manager of Lowell Ball Team
Photo by Marion Studio.

DEATH OF HOLT

Inquest Shows He Killed Himself by Jumping to Cell Floor

MINEOLA, N. Y., July 9.—A coroner's inquest into the manner in which death was reached by Frank Holt, who attempted to assassinate J. P. Morgan last Saturday, established clearly today that Holt had killed himself by jumping head foremost 15 feet from an iron bar on the side of his cell to the floor.

There was nothing to indicate that Holt had been shot or had shot himself, an opinion which appeared in certain quarters to have survived the autopsy.

It was learned today that Holt's brain which was removed at the time of the autopsy for possible examination by alienists, had been sent with his body to Dallas.

GREEK SCHOOL OUTING

CHILDREN TAKEN FOR CAR RIDE TO LAKEVIEW EARLY YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

The pupils of the Greek summer school, boys and girls, numbering about 50, were taken on a car ride to Lakeview yesterday afternoon by the teachers in charge of the school.

The school which opened Tuesday, is being conducted at the Pilgrim chapel in Market street and it is believed it will prove more successful than last year, although those in charge were glad of the results obtained during last summer.

The children, marching in twos, were escorted to Merrimack square by the teachers and a couple of parents at 3 o'clock this afternoon and they all boarded a Lakeview bound car. Upon arriving at the resort the little ones were supplied with goodies and they were given rides on the merry-go-round and the roller coasters. The trip was very successful and greatly pleased the boys and girls.

AFTER CHAUFFEURS' LICENSES

Thirty-three applicants for chauffeurs' licenses took the examination at city hall yesterday. The examinations are held under the auspices of the Massachusetts highway commission and today's class was the largest that the examiners have had in this city. The examiners were Messrs. Bliss, Hubbell and Bonzagni. The applicants were from Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill, Andover and other places in this vicinity.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TAKE WIRELESS STATION

CAPT. WM. H. G. BULLARD TAKES CHARGE OF SAYVILLE, L. I., STATION

SAYVILLE, N. Y., July 9.—Capt. William H. G. Bullard, superintendent of the United States naval station at Arlington, Va., personally took over today the Sayville wireless station whose formal transfer to the government's censors was made last night by the Atlantic Communication Co., its owners.

Capt. Bullard remained at the plant about an hour, leaving Lieut. George R. Clark in charge. Except for the operators the former force will be retained, it is said.

CARGO OF DYNAMITE

OFFICIALS INVESTIGATING CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING A GERMAN STEAMER

NEW YORK, July 9.—Custom officials were investigating today the circumstances under which the German steamer Magdeburg remained anchored in Gravesend Bay with a cargo containing 100 tons of dynamite aboard. This was done, it was said, to determine the danger that would exist, if any, to other craft in the lower bay in event of an explosion aboard the steamer.

The Magdeburg has lain at her anchorage about three-quarters of a mile from the channel used by trans-Atlantic vessels ever since the war started.

ROADBED WASHED AWAY

SERIOUS WASHOUT NEAR LEWISTON, ME.—LARGEST RAINFALL IN SEVEN YEARS

LEWISTON, Me., July 9.—The most serious damage by the storm of yesterday in this section was a washout at Day's Corner, Monmouth, on the L. A. & W., where nearly 200 feet of roadbed was washed away. A car upon which General Supt. Bowie was making an inspection, narrowly escaped being wrecked at this point early today. Washouts on the various interurban lines out of the city have seriously interfered with all travel.

This was the largest rainfall here in more than seven years.

The total precipitation of the storm was 4 inches at Lewiston. This is one-eleventh of total average annual rainfall here. The smallest fall reported along the river was at Pontook dam where 2.52 inches fell.

BREAKING OF DAM

OSSIPEE, N. H., July 9.—Several villages in the Chocorua river valley were without electric power today, railroad traffic was practically at a standstill, no mails had been received or despatched and crops were seriously damaged, as the result of the breaking of Moore's dam on the Chocorua river early today following a heavy downpour of rain. It was not until mid-forenoon that communication was established with outside points.

GERMAN BOMBARDMENT

REMNANTS OF BRITISH ARMY STORES AT ARRAS, IN FRANCE, DESTROYED

BERLIN, July 9 (by wireless to Sayville, L. I.).—The remnants of the British army stores at Arras, in France, have been destroyed by a continuation of the German bombardment and by fire, according to information given out by the Over Seas News agency. The destruction of the cathedral has robbed the British artillery of an observation station, the agency says.

APPEAL BY KITCHENER

SAYS "WE REQUIRE MORE MEN, AS MILITARY POSITION IS A SERIOUS ONE"

LONDON, July 9, 1.50 p. m.—Great crowds assembled in and around the Guildhall, and the routes leading to it this afternoon to hear Field Marshal Earl Kitchener address a meeting to inaugurate a special recruiting campaign.

"We require more men and still more men," said Earl Kitchener, "but the situation in this respect is immeasurably better now then it was 10 months ago. The military position today, however, is as serious as it was then."

The foregoing was the keynote of the war secretary's speech to influence recruiting.

RUSSIAN BARK SUNK

LONDON, July 9, 4.42 p. m.—The Russian bark Marion Lightbody was sunk off Queenstown today by a German submarine. The crew was saved.

The bark, which was of 2176 tons gross, left Valparaiso March 23 for an English port.

PERSONALS

The many friends of Mrs. Ezra E. Mansur, 11 Fernald street, will be glad to know that she has rallied from her recent operation and is now on the road to recovery.

FUNERAL NOTICE

BRECKENRIDGE—The funeral of Robert Breckenridge will take place Sunday afternoon from his home, 131 Jewett street. Prayers at the house at 2 o'clock. Services at the Paige Street Baptist church at 2.30. Friends invited. Burial private. Funeral in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

FIRE IN NORTH BILLERICA

BLAZE IN HOUSE OF MRS. OTTO DAVIS YESTERDAY NOON—LOSS SEVERAL HUNDRED DOLLARS

A fire broke out yesterday at the residence of Mrs. Otto Davis on Pollard avenue, Billerica. It started in the cellar and worked up through partitions and floors. The Billerica fire department was called and succeeded in saving the building. The damage will reach several hundred dollars. It was from this place that Otto Davis, the former owner, was drowned last Saturday.

SINKING OF LUSITANIA

GERMAN PAPER FORECASTED IT AND PREDICTED EXPLOSIVES ON SHIPS SAILING FROM U. S.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador today formally called attention of the state department to The Fatherland, a German paper published in New York, pointing out that it forecasted the sinking of the Lusitania and predicted internal explosions sailing from the United States for the allied nations. Without making any request, the ambassador communication declares that such publications indicated "guilty fore-knowledge of a crime."

OFF FOR BATTLEFIELD

100 ITALIAN RESERVISTS LEFT BOSTON FOR NEW YORK WHERE THEY WILL EMBARK

BOSTON, July 9.—Bound for the battlefields on the Italian frontier, a party of 100 Italian reservists left today for New York where they will embark tomorrow on a steamship for Naples.

All of the members of the party were between 20 and 30 years of age. They compose the fifth quota of Italian reservists to leave New England since their country became involved in the war.

KITCHENER AT THE FRONT

FIELD MARSHAL ON FIRST VISIT AS ACCOMPANIED BY PREMIER ASQUITH

Frederick Palmer, who is at the front for the Associated Press, sends the following:

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, July 8, via London, July 9, 5.12 p. m.—For the first time since the army has occupied the present line, Field Marshal Earl Kitchener has been at the front. He was accompanied by Premier Asquith and Cols. Hankey and Fitzgerald. He arrived on Tuesday afternoon, the guest of Sir John French, commander of the British expeditionary forces on the continent and that afternoon visited the grounds of the flying corps, the cadet school, where officers are trained, and the machine gun school.

NATIONAL PROHIBITION

NATIONAL CONVENTION OF ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE ADOPTS RESOLUTIONS

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 9.—The national convention of the Anti-Saloon league of America today unanimously adopted resolutions formulated by the board of directors of the organization, urging congress to submit the question of national prohibition to the people of the country by referring to the state legislatures for ratification a joint resolution proposing a prohibitory amendment to the federal constitution. The resolutions declare that national prohibition is the "supreme temperance issue before the American people."

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INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The employes of the Massachusetts and Merrimack mills will resume work Monday after enjoying a seven days' vacation.

The employes of the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co. will not take up their duties again until a week from Monday.

The Ipswich mills, Ipswich, Mass., of which the local plant in Warren street is a part, one of the largest, best managed and merchandised hosiery mills in the country, has representatives in Great Britain handling its product for export.

The Lawrence Manufacturing Co. of this city has a surplus of yarn on the market at the present time greater than ever before, because the local mill is using artificial silk and silk bought in the open market instead of some of its own product.

The Millmen's union held a well attended meeting in Carpenters hall, Runels building last night, at which considerable business of importance was transacted. Two applications for membership were received and turned over to the investigating committee. Following the session addresses on organization were made by several of the members.

Machinists' Union

The regular weekly meeting of the Machinists' union, local 136, was held in Cotton Spinners' hall, but only business of a routine nature was transacted.

Bricklayers' Union

The Bricklayers' union had a lengthy and interesting session last night. A number of committee reports were accepted as read and a bunch of communications from various unions, in which a number of grievances were stated were referred to the secretary for disposal.

Woolen Weavers

The Woolen Weavers' union held another rousing meeting in Trades & Labor hall last evening. Nine candidates were admitted and seven applications for membership were received. Addresses were made by Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers, Daniel E. Whalen, organizer for the Boot & Shoe Workers' union and others.

Woburn Boys Return

Archie Mohan and Harold Hennelly, two Woburn lads, who recently enlisted in the British army in England and through the efforts of Congressman Rogers of this city obtained their release, have returned to their homes. The young men stated they went aboard a cattle boat and were left penniless in England. Inasmuch as they had experience in the militia, being at one time connected with Company G, Fifth regiment, they enlisted in the army in a spirit of adventure.

Thinks Girls Failure in Business

Mrs. E. A. Hodgkins, instructor and advisor of employes in Denver department stores is quoted as saying:

"If I were the owner of a large store I would employ only men. Women have only their intuition to depend upon to succeed in the business world. They lack judgment and reasoning powers. They do a thing but cannot tell why they did it. Their inherent inability to give a reason when asked is what prevents them from being as valuable to business as men."

These are Mrs. Hodgkins' words. Her professional title is "efficiency expert."

"Women are paid less than men not because their sex is unfairly treated," Mrs. Hodgkins is further quoted, "but because they are worth less. I do not say that women are utterly unfit to be in the business world, but certainly, if I were an employer, I would hire men in preference to women. I should consider women too much of a risk. There are many well-balanced women, but even they are likely to fall when it comes to a matter of reasoning. A woman gambles where a man reasons.

Mrs. Hodgkins evidently could not have been a suffraget.

Opportunity for Advance

The United States has long been designated "The Land of Opportunity," and with good reason, for in no other country does the man with intelligence, ability and a willingness to work as his sole capital, have presented to him parallel opportunities for advancement. No matter what field he enters ,there are many avenues for advancement before him. His progress depends very largely on his own efforts. There are those who because of failure, are inclined to view such statements with little credence, making the claim that though it may have been true some time since, there is much less possibility of winning success at the present time.

We are not inclined to accept this pessimistic view, although willing to admit that with the increase of population there is greater competition along certain lines. On the other hand, new inventions have created new industries, and these, in turn, more opportunities, for those who have the capacity for close application and study. One of the best known captains of industry said not long ago that there were many more high salaried positions waiting for competent men to fill them than there were men fitted to take them. This may seem a very broad statement, but we know that many of our large corporations are ever on the alert to secure the services of competent men, with but little regard to the salary requirements. True, we are not all endowed with an equal amount of ability, and many must be content to occupy a lower position on the industrial ladder, but the fact remains that the man with brains and ambition can gain the heights today as easily as at any period in the world's history. Indeed, it would be safe to say with greater ease at the present time, because increased facilities are available.

Lack of education has been responsible in some instances for keeping men in subordinate positions in years gone by, but today an education is within the reach of practically everyone in the land who desires it. Higher education, invaluable as it may be from a cultural standpoint, is not essential for the successful management of a business enterprise, and lack of college training in no wise prohibits one from gaining notable success in industrial life. One of the chief causes for lack of advancement is the great lack of concentration exhibited by the majority of our textile operatives. But few of them seemingly have any desire or ambition beyond the week end and the arrival of pay day. So many are content to perform their duties in a perfunctory manner, possibly working to secure a greater production and thereby a greater wage, but not especially solicitous as to the quality of their work, if it will only pass inspection. It is not from such as these that future overseers and superintendents are made, though invariably when some fellow worker receives a merited promotion they are voluble in expression of the thought that favoritism has been shown or the coveted position would have been theirs.

But a short time ago conversation with a young man of prepossessing personality brought to light the fact that promotion had come to one of those employed in the same department as himself, which he considered should rightly have beeen given to him. By further conversation it was brought out that he was a stickler for his "rights," and was averse to performing any work not strictly in his line of duty. He maintained that he did all he was paid for. This is a mistaken attitude for anyone to assume who has any desire for an increase in wages or a better position. The best method of getting higher wages is to earn more, and show a disposition to do more than the required amount of work. This young man made the mistake that many others are making today, contented to be expert in the particular process in which he was engaged, but with no ambition to acquire familiarity with other departments of mill work. In order to become the manager of a plant it is essential that the textile worker should learn as much as possible about the work of the various departments, so that, should he attain the desired goal, he will be able to co-ordinate the various departments into a smoothly working whole.

In the majority of instances the superintendent must accept a position in a relatively small mill, and such a position requires much more familiarity with the details of the various departments than does the management of the large plant. The size of the plant and its earning capacity is an effectual barrier to the high salaries necessary to secure the ablest men to head the various departments. Many questions of detail are referred to the superintendent that in a larger plant would be taken care of by a subordinate. In the small mill the superintendent must be a thorough manufacturer, while in the larger organization his duties are, to a very great extent, executive, as he can have as subordinates thoroughly competent men at the head of every department.

With the increased competition becoming more and more keen every season, arises the demand for men of ability who, by training, are fitted to deal with the complicated problem of operating a mill profitably. There seems to be an unwarrantable aversion on the part of our young men against engaging in the textile business, either woolen or worsted, partially perhaps because parts of the work are somewhat dirty and disagreeable. Abundant opportunities, however, are open to the honest, intelligent worker to attain a position of responsibility that will well repay the period of drudgery incident to his apprenticeship.

SLEEPYTIME TALES

NED'S FISHING TRIP

Once upon a time Ned's father one morning asked him if he would like to go fishing. Of course Ned was delighted for he had teased his father for a long time to let him go with him to fish. So after breakfast father, with his spade and Ned with his toy shovel, went out into the garden back of the house to dig worms for bait.

Ned did not know whether he liked to pick up the worms or not, they were so slippery and crawly, but his father didn't seem to mind doing it, so Ned was brave as he could be and picked them up as calmly as did his father, although he almost squealed several times when they twined about his little fingers.

Then they got the boat down to the edge of the pond and father let Ned steer with the rudder while he rowed. Ned of course teased to row but his father didn't think he was strong enough and feared he would tip the boat over or lose the oars. When they started fishing Ned had again to handle the nasty worms and put them on his hook, but he was quite used to it by this time. Then he dropped his line overboard and it had only been there a minute or so when Ned felt a tug, then a much harder one and his father said: "Pull it up Ned. You've got a fish."

Ned hauled in his line and flop into the boat came one of the prettiest little fish you can imagine and there it lay flopping its tail at Ned's feet. "Now what shall I do?" shouted Ned, much excited. "Take it off the hook," answered his father. "And be careful you don't stick the hook in your fingers."

So Ned had to take the wriggling fish in his hand, and after much squealing and "Oh dears," he managed to get it off the hook and into the basket, but it was only his father's: "To be a man Ned you must learn to do these things," that kept him from crying, and it was a long time before he teased to go fishing again.

BENNETT HALL, BILLERICA

Bennett Hall in Billerica Centre affords a delightful place of amusement during the summer months. The hall is open the year round and during the past winter held very many successful dinner dances. During the summer months informal dancing is held every evening attracting a large number of patrons. Dinner is served from 6 to 8 p. m. and a light supper from 8.30 to 10 p. m. Music for dancing is furnished by a colored orchestra. A delightful evening of pleasure is in store for you at Bennett Hall.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Margaret Hardy, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by John Tannahill, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, John Tannehill, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourteenth day of September, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate sixty days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
J26-J3-10

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of William McCoy, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Charles H. Molloy, of Lowell, in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the thirteenth day of July, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
J3-10-12

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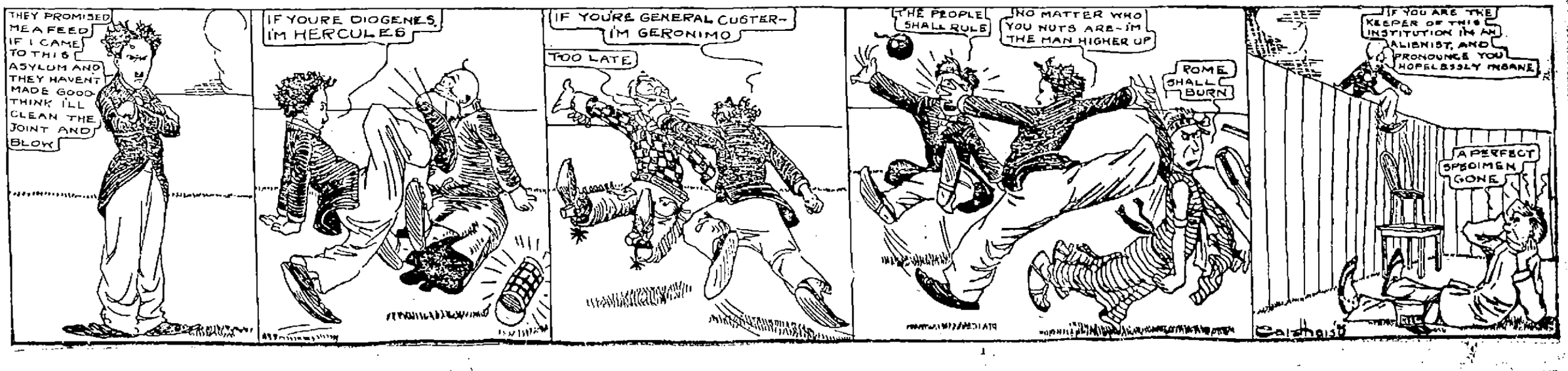

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THE SPELLBINDER

As high water and the engineering experts have held up the Pawtucket bridge matter temporarily, the thoughts of the members of the municipal council have reverted to the question of a new high school and the outlook isn't any too promising inasmuch as the discussion has been taken up immediately after the council's severe attack of Denmanitis, without any respite for convalescence. After the woful spectacle the municipal council has presented in attempting to handle an $80,000 proposition, it is with fear and trembling that the public watches it approach a $700,000 affair.

But why $700,000? Simply because the municipal council set those figures itself. It also set the figures on the bridge at $80,000, but after weeks of argument none as yet knows whether the bridge will cost $80,000 or 80 times that amount, and so it may be with the high school.

Mayor Murphy would like a school similar to that of Springfield, which cost $1,000,000, but Lowell can't afford a million dollar school, nor a $700,000 building for that matter.

The site has been located though the land damages have not been figured out. All that is known is that the municipal council is going to build a high school and has the idea in its official mind that that school must cost $700,000; no more, no less.

Like all of its other financial dealings of importance the municipal council has considered this matter in secret. In this case the excuse was that if real estate owners became aware of the fact that the city was to build a high school they would make life miserable for the members with offers of sites. When finally the municipal council decided upon the site it desired, it made the fact known that it had selected Kirk street. After making the announcement it side-tracked the proposition and gave its attention to the Pawtucket bridge. Meanwhile the many roomers in the lodging houses in Kirk street looked around for new quarters and moved away leaving empty rooms on the hands of the property owners in that vicinity, who have since been unable to rent them owing to the uncertainty as to the future of the property. Those who were disposed to sell their property have been unable to find a market for it as no one wants to purchase a place and have it seized by the city a short time afterward. Hence the householders have lost money through the premature announcement made by the municipal council and they will expect the city to make good that loss when it takes the property, or else they will bring suit. If the city has to make good this loss it is going to be put to an additional expense of substantial amount that it may or may not have considered when making the estimates that have aggregated the $700,000. In the end we may have a million dollar school building after all, similar in price to Mayor Murphy's ideal, if not in character.

Cost of Building

In other places where school buildings are constructed by experts on such construction, the cost of building them is estimated at $5000 per room, exclusive of the land. That includes the assembly hall, and all other appurtenances of a model school building. A well known architect who specializes in school building work was in Lowell a few days ago and verified the above statement as to the cost per room.

During the year just closed the high school had an enrollment of 1626 pupils, and while the average daily attendance was 1440 and the number listed 1503, the number of seats necessary is always determined by the enrollment and hence it was necessary last year to make provision for 1626, which was done by using up every inch of space in the main building which will take care of about 700 or 800 under ordinary circumstances, and the several large and small annexes. When Mayor Murphy was a member of the school board some years ago in his annual report he said: "The end of all education is the happiness of the individual," but there was but little happiness and less comfort for the individuals who were attempting last year to get an education in a makeshift annex which was without even necessary sanitary appointments. This year the number enrolled will be considerably more, and as the increase has followed annually in the past it is to be assumed that it will continue one year hence so that when the high school shall have been finished, assuming that it is to be built without unnecessary delay, there will be over 2000 pupils enrolled. Of these the present building will continue to take care of 700 or 800, and hence the new building must be of sufficient size to take the overflow and make provisions for future increase.

At $5000 per room a school building that will meet all requirements can be built for less than half of the $700,000, the present estimate. Perhaps the remainder is to go for land damages.

Conferred in Public

After having held several secret conferences on the high school matter the municipal council and the school board finally came together in full view of the public yesterday afternoon. Perhaps they had read Mayor Murphy's report when a member of the school board in which His Honor said:

"When a man accepts the position of a school committeeman, it becomes his duty to make the public good his aim and sole ambition. A member should never permit himself to caucus with some of his associates, and then instead of meeting with the board to hear and be heard, to weigh and consider, meet merely to carry out a cut and dried program. He should also make it a point to improve every proper opportunity to convey to the public full details of the business affairs of the board, as well as his own particular school district. A wrong course pursued in these respects handicaps integrity."

His Honor's remarks of long ago are quite applicable not only to the school board of today, but to the municipal council over which he presides. It would seem His Honor had forgotten that such a report went out in his name.

Col. Carmichael Figuring Again

It was Col. Carmichael, who at a recent meeting of the municipal council figured out that Engineer Denman was to get 8 3-4 per cent. for supervising the construction of the new Pawtucket bridge and he received the prompt correction that the amount to be taken by Mr. Denman included the cost of "placing the steel," which would lead to the assumption that Mr. Denman will roll up his sleeves and personally do the job. Since The Spellbinder published an abstract from the address of Daniel B. Luten on bridge costs, Col. Carmichael has been doing some additional figuring and is more firm than ever in the stand that he took at the recent meeting of the municipal council. Up to the time that The Spellbinder article appeared nothing had been said about the detailed cost of the work, other than the fact that the whole job would cost $80,000 and what Mr. Denman said, namely that steel and supervision together would cost $15,000 while supervision in the case of the city not purchasing the steel from his company would cost $7079. These figures were accepted by the members of the municipal council without question, though after voting favorably on the $15,000 they changed their minds, left out the steel purchase, and with the exception of Col. Carmichael voted to give Mr. Denman his $7079 for supervision. Now that it is known what Engineer Luten, the expert, believes such bridges should cost there is much figuring going on and much question outside of city hall as to why the municipal council should vote an amount much in excess of the average cost, as per Luten, without looking around to see what that average cost might be. On the first proposition voted favorably upon and then rescinded, the municipal council proposed to pay $15,000 for the steel and supervision combined. Mr. Luten stated that steel should cost 5 per cent. and supervision, 5 per cent. which in this case would total $8000, while the municipal council had voted to pay $15,000 or $7000 more than it should, according to Mr. Luten, for the same. Then the subsequent proposition was voted, to pay Mr. Denman $7079 for supervison or $3079 more than should be paid for supervision, according to Mr. Luten.

Assuming that Mr. Denman is the best supervisor in the country; that his plans are eminently satisfactory to the Locks and Canals Co., Prof. Swain and the Worcester firm, the fact still remains that according to Daniel H. Luten, bridge expert, and after whom it is understood Mr. Denman's company is named, the city is still paying over $3000 more for supervision than it should pay, and would have paid $7000 more than it should pay had it purchased the steel as it originally proposed to purchase it.

Little to Kick About

Because one of the commissioners was chewing something other than the "rag," and presumably, "Old Honesty," while passing the Courier-Citizen building in Monday's parade the aesthetic soul of one of the C. C.'s staff was offended and he criticized the commissioner the following day. Surely a critic must be hard up for something to criticize when he makes mention of the fact that a commissioner chewed tobacco, gum or even cloves, in the parade. But that's the way of the Courier-Citizen, and 'twas ever thus, for long ago when a member of the common council stated at a meeting one night that he smoked in every room in his home, the Courier-Citizen threw up its hands in holy horror and roasted the poor councilman for a year afterward at every opportunity, always referring to him as "Councilman S———, who smokes in every room in his home." Will the Courier-Citizen henceforth refer to "Commissioner M——— who chews while on parade" at every opportunity? It may be that at some time or other the commissioner might have refused the writer a "chew" and is now paying the penalty.

The Memorial Hall Insurance

Insurance men express the opinion that the city fared very well in the adjustment of the Memorial hall losses, which probably justifies the expenditure of $600 for an appraiser representing the city when a city official might have done it without cost to the municipality. The insurance money is not yet all in and Mayor Murphy, I am informed, has stated that not a cent of it shall be touched until the entire amount has been received when all will be formally turned into the general treasury and then appropriated for the repairing of the building. It remains to be seen whether or not the entire $62,000 will be devoted to the repairs on the building or whether some $15,000 more or less will be "saved" and will go toward defraying the expense of the white way lights. The Huntington hall insurance money had gone for years before the public became aware of the fact; the perpetual care fund money had been withdrawn from the banks and was on its way somewhere, before the public got onto its removal. But now the public is on to a plan to use some of the Memorial building insurance money for white way purposes and is watchfully waiting the disposition of that money.

The monthly white way bills came before the municipal council yesterday and were approved. His Honor informed The Sun reporter that there was money in the treasury to meet them and that it was not insurance money. Thus it is assumed that they were met out of the $200 that the mayor "saved" out of his annual appropriation and the "$700" "saved" by Commissioner Morse on the purchase of road oil.

After the Ball Is Over

The Fourth of July celebration has come and gone, and with the receipts from lots, licenses, program, etc., the receipts have been a few hundred dollars in excess of the amount appropriated by the city, so that in reality the city doesn't lose anything after having the big show but instead is a winner. The Sun has suggested editorially that the amount taken in from the sale of lots could be used to good advantage by the park department, but this revenue, unfortunately, cannot be placed to the credit of the appropriation for parks but must go into the general treasury fund where it becomes useful for a variety of purposes. As this celebration didn't cost the city anything, perhaps the municipal council will now appropriate the $3000 that it "saved" on the celebration appropriation, for some other purposes, probably for white way maintenance. There has been considerable criticism of the mayor for closing city hall to the public, which included the friends and families of the employes, especially on account of the inclement weather, while there are also murmurings about the cold-shoulder given to some of the city officials by the mayor relatlye to the reception to Governor Walsh at the Yorick club. If the entertainment given the governor at the Yorick club was held under the auspices of the city then certain city officials should have been there who were not. For instance, City Solicitor Hennessy is not only a public official but also a classmate of Governor Walsh, but we understand the city solicitor was not among the invited guests at the good time, and there were others. But the celebration itself was a good one, despite the rain, and it demonstrated clearly the great difference between running a Fourth of July show under the old form of government and under the new form. It was a credit to the "do-nothing" administration, even if it was conceived, planned and carried out by the milltiamen.

THE SPELLBINDER.

FULL TEXT OF THE GERMAN REPLY

BERLIN, July 9, via London, July 10. The text of the German note follows:

The undersigned has the honor to make the following reply to His Excellency Ambassador Gerard, to the note of the 10th ultimo, re the impairment of American interests by the German submarine war. The Imperial government learned with satisfaction from the note how earnestly the government of the United States is concerned in seeing the principles of humanity realized in the present war.

Also this appeal finds ready echo in Germany and the Imperial government is quite willing to permit its statements and decisions in the present case to be governed by the principles of humanity, just as it has done always.

The Imperial government welcomed with gratitude when the American government in the note of May 15 itself recalled that Germany had always permitted itself to be governed by the principles of progress and humanity in *dealing* with the law of maritime war.

Together For Freedom of Seas

Since the time when Frederick the Great negotiated with John Adams, Benjamin Franklin and Thomas Jefferson the treaty of friendship and commerce of Sept. 9, 1785, between Prussia and the Republic of the West, German and American statesmen have, in fact, always stood together in the struggle for the freedom of the seas and for the protection of peaceable trade.

In the international proceedings which since have been conducted for the regulation of the laws of maritime war, Germany and America have jointly advocated progressive principles, *especially the abolishment of the right* of capture at sea and the protection of the interests of neutrals.

Even at the beginning of the present war the German government immediately declared its willingness, in response to proposals of the American government, to ratify the Declaration of London and thereby subject itself in the use of its naval forces to all the restrictions provided therein in favor of neutrals.

"Germany Has No Guilt"

Germany likewise has been always tenacious of the principle that war should be conducted against the armed and organized forces of an enemy country, but that the enemy civilian population *must be spared* as far as possible from the measures of war.

The Imperial government cherishes the definite hope that some day will be found when peace is concluded, or perhaps earlier, to regulate the law of maritime war in a manner guaranteeing the freedom of the seas, and will welcome it with gratitude and satisfaction if it can work hand in hand with the American government on that occasion.

If in the present war the principles which should be the ideal of the future have been traversed more and more the longer its duration, the German government has no guilt therein. It is known to the American government how Germany's adversaries, by completely paralyzing *peaceable traffic* between Germany and neutral countries, have aimed from the very beginning and with increasing lack of consideration at the destruction, not so much of armed forces, as the life of the German nation, repudiating in doing so all the rules of international law and disregarding all rights of neutrals.

Charges Against England

On Nov. 3, 1914, England declared the North sea a war zone and by planting poorly anchored mines and by the stoppage and capture of vessels made passage extremely dangerous and difficult for neutral shipping, thus actually blockading neutral coasts and ports contrary to all international law. Long before the beginning of submarine warfare England practically completely intercepted legitimate neutral navigation to Germany also. Thus Germany was driven to a submarine war on trade.

On Nov. 14, 1914, the English premier declared in the house of commons that it was one of England's principal tasks to prevent food for the German population from reaching Germany via neutral ports. Since March England has been taking from neutral ships without further formality all merchandise proceeding to Germany, as well as all merchandise coming from Germany even when neutral property.

Just as it was also with the Boers, the German people is now to be given the choice of perishing from starvation with its women and children or of relinquishing its independence.

Knew Neutrals Might Suffer

While our enemies thus loudly and openly proclaimed war without mercy until our utter destruction, we were conducting a war in self-defence for our national existence and for the sake of peace of an assured permanency.

We have been obliged to adopt a submarine warfare to meet the declared intentions of our enemies and the method of warfare adopted by them in contravention of international law.

With all its efforts in principle to protect neutral life and property from damage as much as possible, the German *government recognized* unreservedly in its memorandum of Feb. 4, that the interests of neutrals might suffer from the submarine warfare.

However, the American government will also understand and appreciate that in the fight for existence which has been forced upon Germany by its adversaries and announced by them, it is the sacred duty of the Imperial government to do all within its power to protect and save the lives of German subjects.

If the Imperial government were derelict in these, its duties, it would be guilty before God and history of the violation of those principles of highest humanity which are the foundation of every national existence.

Disclaims Lusitania Responsibility

The case of the Lusitania shows with horrible clearness to what jeopardizing of human lives the manner of conducting war employed by our adversaries leads.

In the most direct contradiction of international law all distinctions between merchantmen and war vessels have been obliterated by the order to British merchantmen to arm themselves and to ram submarines, and the promise of rewards therefor, and neutrals who use merchantmen as travelers thereby have been exposed in an increasing degree to all the dangers of war.

If the commander of the German submarine which destroyed the Lusitania had caused the crew and passengers to take to the boats before firing a torpedo this would have meant the sure destruction of his own vessel.

After the experience in sinking much smaller and less seaworthy vessels it was to be expected that a mighty ship like the Lusitania would remain above water long enough even after the torpedoing to permit passengers to enter the ship's boats.

Circumstances of a very peculiar kind, especially the presence on board of large quantities of highly explosive materials (word omitted, possibly "dissipated") this expectation. In addition it may be pointed out that if the Lusitania had been spared thousands of cases of munitions would have been sent to Germany's enemies and thereby thousands of German mothers and children robbed of bread winners.

Concession to American Vessels

In the spirit of friendship wherewith the German nation has been imbued toward the union and its inhabitants since the earliest days of its existence, the Imperial government will always be ready to do all it can during the present war also to prevent the jeopardizing of lives of American citizens.

The Imperial government, therefore, repeats the assurances that American ships will not be hindered in the prosecution of legitimate shipping and the lives of American citizens in neutral vessels shall not be placed in jeopardy.

In order to exclude any unforseen dangers to American passenger steamers, made possible in view of the conduct of maritime war by Germany's adversaries, *German submarines* will be instructed to permit the free and safe passage of such passenger steamers when made recognizable by special markings and notified a reasonable time in advance.

The Imperial government, however, confidently hopes that the American government will assume to guarantee that these vessels have no contraband on board, details of arrangement for the unhampered passage of these vessels to be agreed upon by the naval authorities of both sides.

Dictates What Ships Shall Fly our Flag

In order to furnish adequate facilities for travel across the Atlantic for American citizens, the German government submits for consideration a proposal to increase the number of available steamers by installing in passenger service a reasonable number of neutral steamers under the American flag, the exact number to be agreed upon under the same conditions as the above-mentioned American steamers.

The imperial government believes it can assume that in this manner adequate facilities for travel across the Atlantic ocean can be afforded American citizens.

There would, therefore, appear to be no compelling necessity for American citizens to travel to Europe in time of war on ships carrying an enemy flag.

In particular the imperial government is unable to admit that American citizens can protect an enemy ship through the mere fact of their presence on board.

Injuries to Neutrals Only "Accidents"

Germany merely followed England's example when she declared part of the high seas an area of war. Consequently, accidents suffered by neutrals on enemy ships in this area of war cannot well be judged differently from accidents to which neutrals are at all times exposed at the seat of war on land when they betake themselves into dangerous localities in spite of previous warnings.

If, however, it should not be possible for the American government to require an adequate number of neutral passenger steamers, the imperial government is prepared to interpose no objections to the placing under the American flag by the American government of four enemy passenger steamers for passenger traffic between North America and England.

Assurances of "free and safe" passage for American passenger steamers would then extend to apply under the identical pro-conditions to these formerly hostile passenger steamers.

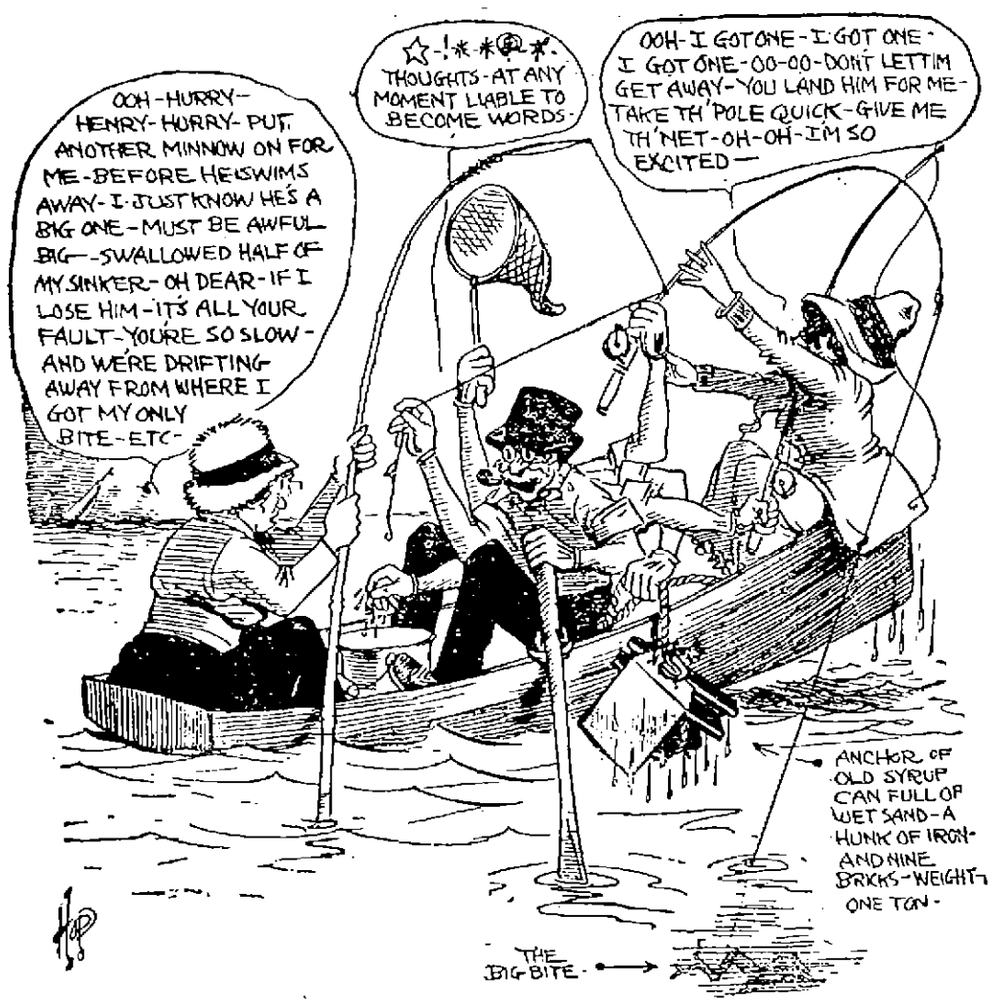
"Lofty Ideals of Freedom of Seas"

The president of the United States has declared his readiness in a way deserving of thanks, to communicate and suggest proposals to the government of Great Britain with particular reference to the alteration of maritime war.

The imperial government will always be glad to make use of the good offices of the president and hopes that his efforts in the present case, as well as in the direction of the lofty ideal of the freedom of the seas, will lead to an undertaking.

The undersigned requests the ambassador to bring the above to the knowledge of the American government and avails himself of the opportunity to renew to His Excellency the assurance of his most distingulshed consideration.

(Signed) Von Jagow.



Our Vacation Joy Zone—No. 1—Taking the Ladies Fishing.

BANDITS HELD UP AND ROBBED FAST TRAIN

Set Engine Off at Full Speed With no One in Cab—Conductor Dead

MONTGOMERY, Ala, July 10—Posses of officers and railroad detectives early today were scouring the country around Greenville, Ala., 60 miles south of here, in search of four bandits who near that place, shortly before 2 o'clock this morning held up and robbed the Louisville & Nashville fast train No. 37, bound from New York for New Orleans.

The bandits, after forcing the engine crew to abandon their engine, cut loose the mail, baggage and express cars, ran them a short distance down the track, turned a full head of steam on the engine and started it southward with no one in the cab and then looted the cars. The value of the loot obtained has not been ascertained. The passengers were not molested.

Conductor Phil McRae of Montgomery, after the robbery was found dead sitting on the steps of the observation car of his train. No wound could be found on his body. It was said the bandits fired one shot, but that it went wild.

The chief mail clerk said today a package of currency consigned to Houston, Tex., was secured by the robbers. The amount was not disclosed.

Conductor Phil McRae found dead on the observation car platform, is believed to have been stricken with apoplexy.

ROBBED 35 TOURISTS

U. S. Cavalry and Scouts Searching for Three Highwaymen in Yellowstone Park

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, July 10.—The United States cavalry and scouts today were searching the western side of the Yellowstone National park for the three highwaymen who yesterday held up and robbed a party of 35 tourists, mostly teachers from New York city, who were making the trip into the park in five stage coaches.

All reports received here stated that individual losses were small.

SUN FEATURES MONDAY

Ladies' Page With Fashion Descriptions and Illustrations—"What the Cook Says"

Monday's Sun will contain the Women's Page with fashion cuts, descriptions of styles and other articles of particular interest to women readers.

"What the Cook Says" will tell how to put up Eight Day Pickles; how to clean a Panama hat, and other interesting and helpful information.

"The Eyebrows and Sport Hats" will be the topic of the article tomorrow under the caption, "In Milady's Boudoir." "What the French Maid Said" will discuss "Packing for the Summer Trip." "Billy and Tage" will be the "Sleepytime Tale."

Don't miss the two big comic features, "Samuels and Sylenz" and Charlie Chaplin.

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Which is it? Jess Willard with the wild west show, or the wild west show with Jess Willard?

Marriage intentions registered in Lawrence this week include the following:

When you have any real estate to sell, consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg. Telephone.

Hope Lowell's new manager will be as successful as the new leader of the White Sox.

The consistency of some landlords is equalled only by that of some politicians.

You get a discount price on your furniture repairs at Adams & Co.'s during July and August.

It is rumored that several new officials will soon appear in Merrimack square.

Dr. J. T. Donohue will be out of town during the remainder of July on his vacation.

The G. O. P. will attempt to "come back" at the outing at Bunting park today.

George Massey, engraver, 62 Buttor street, Lawrence and Emily Culline, at home, 27, Methuen street, Lowell.

A large number of local fans planned to go out to Spalding park this afternoon to give the new manager the double 0.

Mike Markham was seen running up Gorham street the other morning. No—not that—he was training for the fat men's race to be run off in connection with the Elks' outing.

"How is it that there is such a small number with us this morning?" said a passenger to the conductor on a local street car yesterday morning, which is usually crowded on that particular trip. "Well," replied the nickel snatcher, "I suppose the people are walking or riding in a jitney as a protest against the open cars during the recent stormy weather."

KILLED IN AUTO WRECK

QUINCY, July 10.—Dr. Edward M. Currier, a dentist, of 1761 Beacon street, Brookline, was instantly killed on Quincy avenue in this city last evening, when his automobile turned completely over while going at a rapid rate of speed.

PLEADS GUILTY OF MURDER

DOVER, N. H., July 10.—Rodney Merchant, who shot and fatally wounded Edward A. Willand, superintendent of the Strafford county farm Thursday evening, following an altercation between himself and the engineer of the farm, pleaded guilty to the charge of murder in the municipal court at 4.30 yesterday afternoon, notwithstanding the fact that he had declared earlier in the day that he shot in self defense.

Merchant did not know until late yesterday that one of the two bullets he had fired into Supt. Willand's body had proved fatal. As soon as he was told this by Sheriff Young he asked how he could procure counsel, but later said he did not want counsel and would plead guilty. Judge Nason instructed him as to his right to plead not guilty, whether he considered himself guilty or not.

"That will do me no good," he replied. "I shot him and have decided to plead guilty."

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FIRST PARCEL AT 3 O'CLOCK

An up-to-date two-tenement house with seven rooms, bath and pantry with each.

The flats are well arranged, every room airy and well lighted, excellent closet room, front and back stairs, separate front and back doors, side porches, and good, dry cellars. The house is in excellent shape inside and out, it being built but a few years ago for its present owners. The flats rent for $15 each, making a yearly rental of $360. The lot has a large frontage on Exeter street, with an area of about 4000 square feet. Good yard room, all in lawn, with concrete walk around the house.

This parcel should interest the home-seeker, where he could occupy one tenement and have the income of the other.

Terms—$350 must be secured to the auctioneer as soon as struck off.

SECOND PARCEL AT 3.15 O'CLOCK

A two-story cottage house with slated roof, having eight rooms, pantry, bath and storeroom. On the first floor are hallway, parlor, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, bath, pantry and side vestibule. On the next floor are three large square chambers, well lighted, also storeroom, and above is a finished attic. This cottage is in splendid shape, inside and out, and is occupied by its present owners, and would easily rent for $18 per month. The lot, which is practically a corner one, has a good frontage, with an area of about 4400 square feet. Large lawns, several fruit trees, cherry, peach and pear and small shrubbery. This little home would have to be seen to be appreciated, and if you want to locate in Centralville, here is your opportunity.

Terms: $250 must be secured to the auctioneer as soon as struck off.

Now, then, Mr. Homeseeker and speculator, the above two parcels will be offered for absolute sale, regardless of any condition of the weather, and it is up to you to attend the sale, for it is seldom you get an opportunity to purchase this kind of property at absolute sale. The properties are within 15 minutes' walk of Merrimack square, near to many large industries, schools and churches.

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THE WEATHER
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GERMAN NOTE DEFIANT

HIGH SCHOOL DELAY UP TO THE SCHOOL BOARD

Commr. Duncan Says School Committee Should Have Collected Data for Plans Long Ago

Commissioner Duncan thinks the school board has shown woful inactivity regarding the preparation of data in connection with plans for a new high school and he believes that Principal Cyrus W. Irish should be called in to help out on the plans. "I believe," said Mr. Duncan, "that Mr. Irish is the man whom we should most depend upon for suggestions relative to the new school. He is thoroughly familiar with present needs and he has given the matter a great deal of study. I think he is the one man who will be able to furnish the data and detail necessary for the plans. The school board has been talking about a new high school since the beginning of the year and has not yet done a thing toward the corralling or assembling of data necessary for the architects in the making of plans."

Making Poor Headway

Commissioner Duncan says he is free to confess that very poor headway is being made on the important propo-

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LAWRENCE WON FIRST

Local Team Trimmed Before Large Crowd at Spalding Park This Afternoon—Score 6 to 2

Charles Kelchhey, Lowell's new manager, who made such a successful debut yesterday by piloting his team to victory, was the object of all eyes when he led the locals out for practice before the double header with Lawrence at Spalding park this afternoon. The attendance was one of the largest of the season, and well it might, for the "men behind" the local club are going the limit to provide a winner and will continue to exert every effort if only supported by the fans.

Yesterday's win over their down-river rivals gave the local players great confidence and they stepped around the diamond like colts, showing more pep than has ever before been seen at the park. The Lawrence men, however, were far from downhearted, but went into the opening game determined to stem the march of the followers of Kelchner.

A large number of "those present" included visitors from Lawrence, who came along to cheer Pearson's charges on to victory. A good sized representation of the fair sex was also on hand.

When Umpire Keeler called the game there was one of the largest crowds of the season at the park and a procession of humanity was still coming through the turnstile. When he announced that Houser would pitch for Lowell there was a great outburst of applause for the southpaw has been doing remarkable work for the locals during the season. "Southpaw" Thompson, who is considered one of the league's best twirlers, was sent to the mound for the opponents. Ahearn did the catching for Lowell and Flaherty adorned the mask and protector for the visitors.

The lineup was as follows:

Lowell	Lawrence
Swayne, lf	rf, Layster
Fahey, 3b	cf, O'Connell
Estes, 1b	ss, Mahoney
Bowcock, 2b	2b, Warner
Barrows, cf	p, Thompson
Dee, ss	1b, Ostergren
Ahearn, c	c, Flaherty
Martin, rf	3b, Conley
Houser, p	lf, Harris

First Inning

In the first half of the first inning

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UPHOLDS COMMANDER WHO SUNK LUSITANIA

German Evasion of Liability May Lead to Severance of Diplomatic Relations—Blames England for the Lusitania Slaughter—Offers Safety to American Ships and Americans on Belligerent Ships not Carrying Contraband

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Although the official text of Germany's note on submarine warfare had not reached here early today the press copy which was read by officials was accepted as verification of earlier impressions that Germany had refused to give the United States the assurances asked for in the American note of June 9. Everywhere in official quarters the reply was discussed along with the probable action that the United States would be compelled to take as a result of Germany's unwillingness to concede to Americans the right to travel on the high seas on peaceful merchantmen of any nationality.

Pres. Wilson to Leave Cornish

President Wilson will start from Cornish, N. H., for Washington in a day or two to consider with his cabinet the grave situation impending. Comment in official quarters today was sparing as to the course that would be pursued, the general feeling being that nothing should be said until the president had returned.

On the other hand, those in official quarters familiar with diplomatic precedents and the progressive development of the American attitude believed that, having stated its position and asked for assurances which now have been refused, the only course left open for the United States seemed to be an announcement that it intended to assert its rights as established under the rules of international law. This would mean in effect that the United States would await a violation by Germany before taking action to compel respect for the rights asserted.

Diplomatic Relations

There was a revival of talk concerning the severance of diplomatic relations, it being recalled in official circles that in the now famous cabinet meeting of May 11, when the sinking of the Lusitania was first considered there was an informal understanding that if the negotiations of the United States to secure reparation from Germany for the destruction of American lives in that tragedy failed, the American government might be justified in discontinuing diplomatic intercourse with Germany. Germany's complete evasion of liability for the loss of Americans on the Lusitania has revived the subject most acutely, according to well informed persons.

For several days there has been an

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BIG REPUBLICAN OUTING

HON. SAMUEL W. McCALL

HON. GRAFTON CUSHING

Big Guns of G. O. P. at Bunting Club Today—Candidates for Governor Among Speakers

This is the day of the grand "comeback" celebration of the republican city committee, and at this writing it looked like a tremendous success.

The members of the outing committee who arranged the big powwow worked under considerable disadvantage owing to the inclement weather, which had a tendency to throw cold water, figuratively, on the plans, as it was generally believed that the jinx that has been following the local machine for some time would be on deck today. But this morning dawned fair and the hopes of the local representatives of the G. O. P. rose high, with the sun.

All morning the members of the outing committee hustled about town perfecting final arrangements, and at 1.30, when Charlie Wotton gave the word to start the auto parade that preceded the big show, there were many autos in line, while hundreds sought the scene of festivities, Bunting park, via the street railway lines.

The Parade

The auto parade was quite a success but was marred by a slight accident. A police officer ordered Frank Cheney to stop and as the latter obeyed the order another machine bumped into his from the rear doing a considerable damage. None of the occupants were hurt, however, as the autos were moving slowly.

At the Grounds

On arriving at the grounds a ball game was started between the C. M. A. C. and the Kimball system and while this was in progress the friends of the candidates moved freely among the crowd introducing their favorites.

The baseball game was won by the C. M. A. C. Score 6 to 3.

Hon. John Jacob Rogers, back from the west, got a great reception and he was the most cordial gentleman on the grounds, despite the fact that all the candidates were trying to excel one another in courtesy and good nature.

Among the other notables besides McCall and Cushing, both candidates for governor, were Senator Bradley of Boston and ex-Senator Sam George of Haverhill, each of whom wants to be state auditor; County Commissioners Williams and Barlow were there and a letter of regret was read from Chairman Gould.

Among the other well known republicans present were Teddie Gould of Sherborn, while Framingham sent Wm. Brooks, C. L. Curtis, Sam D. Staples, Edward F. Galvin, Charles Adams, Rep. James McPherson; from Waltham, Carl Spooner, Ed P. Mills, John Doyle, Wm. H. Taylor, Edward McBride, Fred H. Kerwin, Wm. J. Barry, Atwood Jackson, M. C. Drury, George T. Drury, Nathick: James French, William Whitney, Forrest Adams, Charles Libby, Harry Douglas, Frank Connor, George Whitney, James Maguire, Wesner Park, James Bruce, Robert Goodwin, Charles Prescott, Elmer Shattuck, Harry Bridges, David Simpson, Wm. Kaplin, Ed. W. Eaton, Ed. T. Laughlin, David Lakin.

Acton: Harry W. Billings, Burleigh Pratt, Albert Hicks, John J. Connaton.

Somerville: Ex-Mayor John M. Woods and Ed. McLean, the latter candidate for county treasurer.

As a general rule, these midsummer political outings have their disappointments, in the failure of noted personages to put in an appearance at the appointed time, but today nearly all who were advertised were on the ground. Senator Weeks sent his regrets, but the committee was not sure of getting him anyway, and hence there was no great disappointment. Chairman Thurston of the republican state central committee was indisposed and sent a telegram of regret, incidentally announcing that he would be represented by Mr. Frank Hall, secretary of the committee, and hence the state central committee was officially represented.

The affair originally was planned as a sort of welcome-home to Congressman John Jacob Rogers, who has been in Honolulu and who was returning home via the pleasure resorts of the great west. From the Grand Canyon in Colorado far away, the congressman wired the committee that he would be in attendance if he had to curtail his itinerary, and he made good, although he didn't arrive in town until the last moment. Hon. Samuel W. McCall, candidate for governor, came to town early and was entertained at lunch by Hon. Butler Ames at the latter's home in Belvidere. The other celebrities, who included Hon. Grafton Cushing, candidate for governor; Guy A. Ham and Calvin Coolidge, each of whom wants to be lieutenant-governor, were among the guests who came later. Then there were Sheriff Fairbairn and A. B. Messer, who wants to be sheriff, and sen-

HON. HORTON H. HILTON,
Who Presided

atorial, representative, county commissioner and candidates of high and low degree together with hasbeens, neverwasers and those who live in hope.

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GERMAN ATTACKS ARE REPULSED BY FRENCH

French Airmen Bombard German Military Barracks — German Submarines Sink 3 Steamers

The German official statement records only slight activity along the front in France. Some advances, however, are claimed in the Champagne district and in Le Pretre forest. Nearly 1800 prisoners, three cannon, 12 machine guns and 18 mine throwers were taken between the Meuse and the Moselle in the fighting since July 4, the statement says:

The French war department reports the repulse of all German attacks and claims a total of 881 prisoners taken since July 8.

French airmen bombarded the German military barracks at Norry and the railroad stations at Arnaville and Bayonville, dropping 22 shells and 1000 steel arrows.

German submarines torpedoed and sank the British steamer Ellesmere, the Norwegian steamer Nordaas and the steamer Clio. All the members of the crews were saved except one man on the Ellesmere.

The Ellesmere was of 1170 tons gross burden and was built in 1906 at

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GENERAL TRIANA KILLED

Leader of Carranza Forces Killed in Battle—Villa's Strategic Plan Successful

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Gen. Martin Triana, who led the Carranza forces in the recent attack on Aguas Calientes was killed in the battle, according to a message received here today by the Villa agency.

The despatch to the Villa agency says:

"Carrying out his strategic plan, Gen. Villa allowed the enemy to approach within six miles of the city. This led them to believe they could capture it with ease. The Carranzistas advanced and attacked us vigorously during the following hours of the morning, the fighting lasting until 4 o'clock p. m. The result was very successful for us, the enemy being repulsed and his positions taken. The enemy attacked with forces of all three armies while we repulsed them using only our cavalry. Our infantry remained in the trenches and there was no need of the reserves. The enemy was driven to San Bartolom and points beyond, leaving behind many dead and wounded, large numbers of horses and much war material. We made many prisoners."

"Our column operating in the rear of the enemy has occupied Irapuato and other cities in that neighborhood. Prisoners taken bring the news that Gen. Obregon is not with his troops and that the condition of the enemy is such that this battle is expected to be their last effort. We have captured three cannon, some machine guns and a lot of war material. Also many prisoners and 250 wounded."

FEDERAL SOLDIERS ON BORDER

WASHINGTON, July 10.—The war department announced today that it has no present intention of increasing the force of federal soldiers on the Mexican border. Governor Ferguson of Texas had asked for more troops in Texas because of lack of adequate protection against lawlessness.

Acting Secretary Breckenridge and Maj. Gen. Hugh T. Scott, chief of staff, see no necessity for more troops. The department's position is that the state should perform its own police duty.

The war department also had received a telegram from County Judge H. S. Yates of Brownsville, Tex., asking that 1000 or 1500 troops be sent there for protection against marauders who had stolen horses and terrorized Americans. This message was repeated to Maj. Gen. Funston, who telegraphed there was sufficient protection. He said he had investigated and found that marauders had captured four horses but had caused no other damage. There was nothing to identify the thieves or indicate whether they had come from Mexico.

GRAND ARMY VETERANS

MEMBERS OF G. A. R. POSTS WANT ROOM IN THE BASEMENT OF MEMORIAL BUILDING

Nothing of any material consequence has yet been done toward the reconstruction of the Memorial hall and Commissioner Putnam stated today that he would have a conference with the architects and representatives of the G. A. R. posts relative to a room in the basement for the veterans. "I understand," said Mr. Putnam, "that the veterans want a room in the basement, a sort of card room I suppose. The old fellows don't like to climb the stairs and while they would still insist on their original quarters on the top floor, they would like to have a lounging room down stairs. I think we ought to be able to fix it for them. They have not spoken to me about it but I understand they have broached the matter to the architects."

GREEK IMMIGRANTS ARRIVE

About 25 Greeks, a large number of whom are women, arrived in this city this morning, coming from Greece. They were received by friends and relatives in the Market street district, and it is probable they will all make their homes here.

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EXPLOSION ON LINER SAID TO BE HOLT'S BOMB

HALIFAX, N. S., July 10.—A bomb placed aboard the Atlantic Transport Liner *Minnehaha* as she lay at her pier in New York caused the explosion and fire at sea, in the opinion of the officers of the steamer, which put in here for examination yesterday.

The explosion occurred in No. 3 hold and was of terrific force, shaking the vessel from stem to stern. Those of the crew who were forward at the time were fairly stunned by the shock and two sailors were hurled bodily into the air.

Flames followed quickly and for two days and two nights the crew battled heroically to save the ship, which Erich Muenter, alias Frank Holt, had boasted he would send to the bottom.

There is no doubt in the minds of the officers that Erich Muenter, alias Frank Holt, or confederates, were responsible for the outrage, which, well-timed, occurred at 4.15 p. m. of July 7, the date upon which the dynamiter predicted that some vessel, of *the name of which he appeared uncertain*, would be destroyed.

One of the officers said: "When we left New York I felt that we were in for trouble." This officer explained that he had not liked the looks of some of the longshoremen who had loaded the vessel, and said that as she steamed down the harbor a launch was passed, the occupants of which shouted, "Minnehaha, down, down," at the same time pointing to the water.

"You cannot tell me," he concluded, "that those fellows did not know a bomb had been placed in our ship."

Muenter's plans were frustrated by the fact that his weapon of destruction was placed with miscellaneous freight forward and so separated by stout bulkheads from an enormous cargo of ammunition which, with other inflammable munitions of war intended for the allies, filled the afterholds.

While the sailors fought the fire Capt. Claret headed his ship for Halifax and brought her safely through a *southwesterly gale and thick fog* to an anchorage in the lower harbor here at 1 o'clock this afternoon. By that time the flames had eaten their way through No. 3 hold and into No. 4 hold, but late yesterday afternoon it was announced that they had been extinguished.

"FINE AND DANDY"

Officials so Report on Condition of J. P. Morgan, Who Was Shot by Holt a Week Ago

NEW YORK, July 10.—J. P. Morgan, who was shot twice a week ago in an attempt on his life by Erich Muenter, alias Frank Holt, was "feeling fine and dandy" today, was the report at his office here.

BOMBS ON SHIPS

Nine Found Hidden in Bags of Sugar on the Kirkoswald

NEW YORK, July 10.—Nine bombs were found aboard the steamer Kirkoswald at Marseilles, where the vessel went to discharge its cargo of sugar from New York on her last outward voyage, according to the Kirkoswald's officers who reached here today on the steamer's return trip.

The bombs were ridden in bags of sugar, taken aboard, ship's officers say, at the Fabre line pier in Brooklyn.

All the bombs were found while unloading the cargo.

The Kirkoswald, flying the British flag, sailed from New York May 2 for Marseilles. This was about the time that the activities of the bomb placers so far as yet disclosed reached their height. Of the three other vessels, which, it was learned recently, sailed out of New York with bombs secreted in their cargo, two departed within a few days of the Kirkoswald. These were the Lord Erne, sailing April 29, and the Bankdale, which left here May 7th.

Like the Kirkoswald, both these vessels were British and both sailed for Havre. The United States secret service and the French government, it was said, have been pressing investigations of these attempts to destroy the vessels. Whether other instances, notably that of the Kirkoswald, were under investigation could not be ascertained here.

The Kirkoswald is a vessel of 4021 tons gross register, is 370 feet long and was built in 1912. She was cleared from this port May 1 by J. W. Elwell & Co., agents of the Fabre line.

STRENUOUS STREET ROW

THREE MEN FINED $20 EACH—GIRL ARRESTED FOR VAGRANCY—OTHER CASES

A street row, which occurred at the corner of Market and Fenwick streets last Wednesday evening, was rehearsed in court today when John Danavaris, Antonis Branioulis and Sturgios Bellios were called on complaints charging them with assault and battery upon Nicholas Zestos. Benjamin J. Maloney appeared for the defendants and entered pleas of not guilty. Daniel J. Donahue represented the complainant.

According to Zestos' story he and two companions were walking along Market street when the trio of defendants rushed upon him. One held his hands, he claimed, while the other two struck him. He said that one of the young men hit him on the head with a piece of wood, inflicting a severe wound.

The defendants denied that any striking was done by more than one man and claimed that the trouble was brought up by the complainant. His Honor found all guilty, however, and fined each $20 and ordered them to recognize in the sum of $100 to keep the peace for six months.

There were three vagrants haled in court. One, a girl of only 17 years, who gave her name as Ida Mailhoit of Dover, N. H., was taken to the station early this morning for being on the street late for the third time within a week. She said she roomed on Andover street, but could give no satisfactory explanation as to why she was out so late nights. Judge Enright did not want to send the girl away, however, and ordered the case continued until Monday. Meanwhile an attempt will be made to get in touch with her parents in Dover.

William J. Huntley, vagrancy, expressed a desire to go back to Boston and receive a suspended sentence to the state farm. Frank Lynn pleaded guilty to the same complaint and was committed to the state farm. Joseph H. McBride, arraigned for sentence for being a common drunkard, was given a suspended sentence of six months in the house of correction and two second offenders were fined six dollars each.

STRIKE HOLDS UP FUNERALS

HOBOKEN, N. J., July 10.—A strike of grave diggers at the Hoboken cemetery has resulted in the postponement of 30 funerals. The grave diggers' troubles were due to inability to get their weekly wages because of an injunction suit arising out of the city's recent adoption of commission government. The entire force, 15 in number, have refused to go back to work till their wages are paid.

Meantime the bodies awaiting burial have been placed temporarily in receiving vaults.

STRIKE SETTLED

16,000 Chicago Carpenters Return to Their Jobs

CHICAGO, July 10.—The strike of 16,000 union carpenters which, for nearly two months has paralyzed the building industry in Chicago, is over. Settlement on all points at issue was reached early today after committees representing the carpenters, building construction employers' association and building material interests had been locked in conference since 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The carpenters were ordered to return to work at once.

The settlement was regarded by both sides as a compromise.

DEMANDS PROBE

Gov. Whitman Wants Investigation of Suicide of Frank Holt

NEW YORK, July 10.—Governor Whitman yesterday made a demand on District Attorney Lewis Smith of Nassau county for a detailed report on the suicide of Frank Holt, J. P. Morgan's assailant, who ended his life in the Mineola jail on the eve of exposing his incendiary plots.

The governor, as soon as he gets a statement from the prosecutor, is expected to order an investigation of the whole case from the time Holt was locked in his cell after the attack on J. P. Morgan and placed during the night hours in the care of an aged and inexperienced prison keeper.

Full information as to the guards and jail officials, it is understood, has been demanded by the governor.

The facts standing out yesterday are that Jerry Ryan, 60, was assigned to watch the important prisoner, a criminal bomb maker, on a 12-hour trick, from 8 at night to 8 the following morning. Ryan got this big job when other skilled prison guards were available.

At the inquest into Holt's death held yesterday by Justice of the Peace Walter R. Jones, Ryan admitted he had walked about 10 feet from the cell to investigate a noise. The cell door was left open, he said, and he admitted he had been careless in leaving the corridor door open.

The moment before Holt had appeared to be asleep. Ryan said he heard what sounded like a pistol shot and returning found Holt lying apparently dead about 20 feet from the cell. He denied having been at a hotel some distance away at 10 o'clock that night.

Justice Jones said he had learned that all the cells above the one Holt occupied had been filled that night and that none of the prisoners had seen Holt leave his cell. The justice said he was convinced Holt climbed the grating and jumped to his death. He will file a formal finding next week.

Ryan told Justice Jones he had promised Warden Hulse most faithfully that he would not stir from in front of the cell nor leave Holt unwatched a second. When asked why he had not closed the corridor door, thus at least locking Holt in the corridor, Ryan said: "I suppose that was my fault; carelessness on my part."

"You violated your instructions, then, in leaving Holt alone and unwatched and then neglected to lock the door?" asked Justice Jones.

"Yes, sir; that is so," replied Ryan.

After a consultation with Assistant District Attorney Weeks, Justice Jones decided to hold the inquest open until next Friday.

MAN SHOT AND KILLED

WM. BARNABY'S BODY FOUND IN HOUSE WHERE HE BOARDED

TOWNSEND, July 10.—The discovery today that William E. Barnaby had been shot and killed at the home of Byron Blood, where he boarded, was followed by the detention as material witnesses of Blood and of Joseph Smith and James Brown of Lunenburg. Three sisters of Blood also were questioned.

Hugo Paikinen, a neighbor, reported to the police that he heard shots in the Blood house and when officers investigated they found Barnaby's body. No firearms were found on the premises.

THEY DO SAY

That the police are still investigating that "South common robbery."

That the jitney drivers welcome hangers-on if *nobody else does.*

That but for the governor the mayor wouldn't have received such a soaking.

That it was a mean man who swiped Winn's horse.

That it doesn't take much to turn the tide of affection at city hall.

That Archie's glasses were Woolworth the money.

That George couldn't see anybody up at the depot Monday night, June 28th.

That Charlie Morse's new mixer is a concrete, not a cocktail mixer.

That it takes brains as well as money to develop a *park system.*

That the "dainty lunch" was served at city hall, not on the North common.

That the girl Owen invited brought her fellow along.

That it's funny how it happened with nobody home.

That it's a long, long way to the next holiday.

That the firemen had a good time over the Fourth even if they couldn't spend the day on the common.

That Billy Howe of the South End club lost his hat in an accident on Central street recently.

That business on the midway was rather slack until after the fireworks Monday night.

That Clerk Savage was timid about calling the name of a certain defendant in court Tuesday morning.

That "Packey" Reynolds will be welcomed back to the playgrounds by the youngsters.

That Exilias Paquette prefers Lowell to Quebec especially in these war times.

That it seemed as if half the population of Lowell had machines at the fireworks.

That Patrolman "Bill" Keegan makes a striking chauffeur at the wheel of the new touring car.

That the original heavenly twins, Jewett and Achin, have strong rivals in Duncan and Putnam.

That the police cannot get wise to the fact that all of the Sunday business isn't done in the hotels.

That some boys of the Highlands don't know the difference between the doorbell and the parlor window.

That little Arthur of Liberty street is the picture of his big brother, Francis.

That Della and Madeline will be greatly missed at the Casino during the month of August.

That Charlie should leave groceries in Pawtucketville and not gossip with the younger boys.

That there's a city official getting $1600 a year who says he is holding the job for spite.

That it takes the average man about twenty years to realize there is no place like home.

That when it comes to handling a gun in starting track events you've got to hand it to John W. Daly.

That "Reggie" McAdoo has won the reputation of being *the style-setter* for the young men of North Chelmsford.

That the soldiers who camped at Shedd park over the holidays were very soldierly.

That the coming outing of the employes of the Mears-Adams Shoe Co. will be a grand success.

That the song, "When the Lights Are Low" was never sung by Supt. Welsh although he put on the "dimmers".

That Supt. Gordon might know something about brownstalls but we question his judgment when it comes to fleas.

That the many friends of Swimmer Henry F. Sullivan are with him on his big swim against Sam Richards, the Boston marvel.

That the employes of the Massachusetts and Merrimack mills had the time of their lives the past week on their annual vacation period.

That the fourth annual reunion of St. *Joseph's college* alumni which will take place Aug. 12 will be the best ever.

That Postmaster Neil Mahoney of North Billerica gets an increase in salary from $1200 to $1200. Congratulations Neil.

That the store clerks are talking of changing their half holiday from Thursday to Wednesday, on account of the rain.

That the fellow who espied the pickpockets working in the crowd in the common should have followed them.

That Arthur Drouin, a former Lowell druggist, is "rolling" bullets for the Canadian army, being a member of the 41st Royal regiment.

That Edward Turnbull, the well known printer, leaves for the coast Tuesday to be gone a month at the Moose convention.

That the fellow who sneaks out early because he knows the boss is away isn't worth "salt for his porridge."

That when a very slim girl wears tan stockings she reminds you of the yellow-legged chickens you used to see way back on the farm.

That some of the girls would look more attractive if they would rub more soap on their necks and less powder on their cheeks.

That a small boy's hands and a big girl's elbows always look as if there wasn't soap and water enough to go around.

That "Gus" Donovan of Lawrence *ought to make a capable member of* the state industries board, for he was ever an industrious youth.

That it is a pleasure to do a favor for one who is in the least bit appreciative, and that the officials of the Sacred Heart lawn fete rank high in this quality.

That High street ought to be put in first class condition now that the work has been started for it has to its credit 1914 and 1915 appropriations for macadamizing.

That the man who has too much sense to drop a lighted match into a can of gasoline is the same fellow who knows there is no harm in flirting with another man's wife.

That Dr. John F. Fitzgerald received an appreciative letter from Hon. Jas. B. Casey for his courtesy in coming to the recent St. Margaret's party in Lowell.

That "Big Jack" Quinn, the Cambridge postal clerk, the idol of many admiring Lowell girls at Hampton beach last summer, is with the Elks' party in California.

That "Bill" Driscoll has been regaling his friends with thumb-nail sketches of the wild and woolly west and the Golden gate of California since he returned last Sunday.

That hosts of friends of James F. Morrison, the well known chemist, will be gratified to learn he has entirely recovered from his recent illness.

That Dannie O'Dea was not recognized by some of his close friends in Monday's parade. Dannie took the role of a police officer and helped materially in the success of his division.

That the store clerks have been hit hard by the rainy Thursday afternoons, but the weather man promises many pleasant Thursdays ere the summer passes away.

That Garde Frontenac did not get get any prize in the Fourth of July parade, but the concensus of opinion was that the organization was the best marching company in line.

That "Bob" Breckenridge, the popular little photographer of the Courier-Citizen staff, will be greatly missed by his many friends in and out of the newspaper circle.

That only for Sherburne, the winner of the Sacred Heart marathon, taking a cramp when making the hill up Gorham street, he would have clipped several more minutes from the record time.

That Rep. Henry Achin and J. B. Pelnault who left *Wednesday evening* on the governor's party for the Panama-Pacific exposition, will have an interesting story to tell on their return to Lowell.

That the *reason* why the average man knows his wife wouldn't appreciate a few flowers every now and then when she is alive is because he intends to buy her $5 worth in a bunch when she is dead.

That the old adage, "hunger is sweet" proved itself in the case of the boys of the Eighth regiment when they "feasted" Sunday night on bread, coffee, fried onions and "steak" from the round of beef pretty well down the leg.

That when the poker game breaks up and a brave man announces that his wife never kicks about his staying out late, and that she has confidence in him and never asks him any questions about where he spent the night, he is mentally wondering what kind of a new lie he can tell her when he gets home, and mentally figuring out how big a battle she will put up.

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BRITISH SHIP SUNK

STEAMSHIP ELLESMERE TORPEDOED BY GERMANS OFF THE CORNISH COAST

LONDON, July 10, 1.07 p. m.—The British steamship Ellesmere was shelled and then torpedoed and sunk today by a German submarine off the Cornish coast. The crew of 21 men, with the exception of a Norwegian fireman, who was killed by a shell, were saved.

SIGHTED WRECKED SHIP

OFFICERS OF STEAMER REPORT STEAMSHIP FLOATING BOTTOM UP IN SEA

NEW YORK, July 10.—Officers and passengers on the Russian steamship Czar, that arrived here today from Archangel, said they had sighted in the White sea on June 27 when within a day's run of Archangel an unidentified wrecked steamship floating bottom up in the sea. The Czar steamed around the wreck several times searching for survivors but none was found. Only the letters U. M. L. O. and beneath them the letters O. N. D. O. showed on the vessel's stern.

The bows of the ship were smashed in, evidently by a mine or torpedo.

Frank G. Ormsby of Easton, Pa., one of the passengers who saw the *wreck said:*

"The ship that I sailed on reached Archangel June 16. We had been warned by wireless to look out for mines. On the day before we arrived two British freighters were struck by mines in the White sea; on June 17 a Norwegian freighter was badly damaged and on June 22 the British steamship Twilight was hit and disabled. Russian warships sent out to search for mines on June 21 destroyed three with gun fire and six more were picked up.

"As no German vessels have been seen in the White sea since the war started it is believed by Russian authorities that German mine planters operating under the Swedish and Norwegian flags are engaged in sowing the mines in the path of vessels entering the Russian port."

REPORT OF DEATHS

Report of Deaths for the Week Ending July 10, 1915

July

1 Lillian F. Golden, 8 m., cap. bronchitis.

3 Margaret Riley, 68, chronic nephritis.
Maurice J. Quinn, 65, arterio-sclerosis.
John Hart, 59, pellagra.
Catherine D. Rodger, 70, ac. peritonitis.

4 Julia E. Borden, 62, arterio-sclerosis.
Joseph Gonsalves, 9 m., gastro-enteritis.
Mary Fialllo, 8 m., gastro-enteritis.

5 Eugene Shoughro, 70, arterio-sclerosis.

6 Damase Goudreau, 30, tuberculosis of lungs.
——— Fanning, 1 min., prem. birth.

7 Lodovico M. Stagnone, 6 m., dysentery.
Harriet A. Slater, 69, disease of heart
Edith R. Cummings, 16, phthisis pulmonalis.
William N. Burns, 7, peritonitis.

8 Marie Covalski, 1 d., heart disease
Sarah Faber, 5, intestinal obstruction.
Ann F. Coleman, 70, gastro-enteritis.

9 Lester Howard, 20, ac. appendicitis.
Matilda Fratus, 4 m., gastro-enteritis.
Joseph St. George, 36, pneumonia.

Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

FROHMAN'S ESTATE

NEW YORK, July 10.—Application for letters of administration of the estate of Charles Frohman, naming Daniel Frohman, a brother, and Alf. Hayman, general manager of Mr. Frohman's theatrical affairs, as administrators, was filed yesterday in the surrogate court here. Charles Frohman died when the Lusitania went down.

The value of the personal property was estimated in the papers as "not exceeding $350,000." The value of the real property was said to be unknown.

COMATOS AGAIN IN COURT

Murder Suspect Brought Up on Continuance—Case Again Put Over—Giakas Also in Dock

John Comatos, the man held for the murder of John Demos in a tenement block at 2 Elm place on the night of Wednesday, June 30, was arraigned on continuance before Judge Enright in police court this forenoon. At the request of Deputy Downey, prosecuting officer, defendant was held until July 15 without bail. This continuance was agreed to by Attorneys Jas. F. Owens and Benjamin J. Moloney for the defendant.

At the same time Athanasius Giakas, alias Arthur George, alias George Giakas, was ordered to recognize in the sum of $2000 for his appearance in the local court on that day to give evidence. Since the conclusion of the preliminary hearing on the inquest yesterday, Giakas has been detained at the station, not being able to secure surety. Today he was taken to the Lowell jail together with Comatos.

When Giakas was ordered held as a witness, Attorney Daniel J. Donahue informed the court that Giakas had retained him as counsel. Mr. Donahue requested that the government be instructed not to question the man unless he were present.

Both men were brought into court at the same time by Court Officer Philip Dwyer and placed in the dock during the formal reading of the complaint. Comatos seemed little disturbed by the court proceedings and after the continuance had been agreed to he followed the court officer downstairs to a cell again. Giakas, who furnished $500 bail on a larceny charge, was next continued and then taken downstairs and later in the patrol to the Lowell jail. Harry Demaris acted as interpreter.

BATTLE NEAR CAPITAL

GEN. GONZALES AND TROOPS NOW BUT TWO MILES FROM MEXICO CITY

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Despatches to the Carranza agency today say Gen. Gonzales and his troops attacking Mexico City have now penetrated to Villa de Guadeloupe, about two miles from the capital. Heretofore all fighting has been in the outer suburbs.

SUNK BY SUBMARINES

ITALIAN AND NORWEGIAN STEAMERS SENT TO THE BOTTOM TODAY

LONDON, July 10, 2 p. m.—The steamship Clio (presumably Italian) and the Norwegian steamer Nordas were torpedoed and sunk today by German submarines.

FOSS GIVES $100,000

PLEDGED TO PROHIBITION CAUSE—HOBSON'S CANDIDACY FOR PRESIDENCY NOT WELCOMED

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 10.—Former Governor Foss of Massachusetts has pledged $100,000 to the cause of prohibition. Neither officials of the Anti-Saloon league convention nor Mr. Foss himself would confirm or deny the announcement, which was conveyed unofficially about the convention floor yesterday, but it was admitted that Mr. Foss had "treated the cause very liberally." Mr. Foss was cheered loudly for more than five minutes.

Congressman Richmond Pearson Hobson is gunning for nomination by the prohibitionists as their presidential standard bearer for 1916, in the opinion *of many* of the anti-saloon delegates who heard him address the convention, but all his ambitions will come to naught, because the convention yesterday passed resolutions declaring for the preservation of the non-partisan character of the movement.

$3,000,000,000 LOAN

SUBSCRIPTIONS OF GREATEST WAR LOAN IN HISTORY CLOSED TODAY

LONDON, July 10, 10.20 a. m.—Subscriptions ranging from $500 upwards to the greatest war loan in the history of the world closed automatically at the Bank of England at 1 o'clock today except for applications posted up to midnight. Government authorities adhere strictly to the iron rule to refuse information regarding the amount applied for, but in the opinion of the city the response must have been gratifying. The total amount of new money subscribed is estimated at $3,000,000,000.

JUMP IN AUTO LICENSES

New York Leads All Other States in Returns According to Latest Figures

ALBANY, July 10.—According to the latest figures of Secretary of State Hugo, 200,159 motorists had registered their machines up to and including July 8 since February 1.

This breaks all records and is far in advance of the registration of motor vehicles at the same time last year, which on July 8, 1914, totalled 149,653 cars. The present figures put New York state far in the van of other states in the licensing of automobiles, as well as in the amount of money turned into the state treasury from this source. The figures follow:

February 1 to July 8, 1915, owners and dealers, 200,159; chauffeurs, 67,728; receipts $4,667,699.

February 1 to July 8, 1914, owners and dealers, 149,663; chauffeurs, 56,949; receipts, $4,372,298.

Total for 1914, owners and dealers, 179,171; chauffeurs, 67,170; receipts, $4,533,367.

ST. COLUMBA'S GARDEN PARTY

The annual garden party of St. Columba's church will be held on the church grounds in Mammoth road on Wednesday and Thursday, July 14 and 15. Extensive preparations for this gala event have been in progress for some time and it promises to be attended by pronounced success. One of the chief features will be the Baby Show on Wednesday afternoon. Those in charge expect the largest number of babies ever entered in any contest here. Mrs. John Monahan and Miss Catherine McDermott will receive entries on the church grounds on Wednesday between 1 and 2.30 p. m. Only babies under two years of age will be eligible in the contest. Other pleasing features have been arranged for the party and a good time is in store for all who attend.

FED 2000 SOLDIERS

H. J. HARVEY HAD BIG CATERING CONTRACT AT THE NORTH COMMON LAST MONDAY

One of the biggest catering feats that has been performed in this city for some time was accomplished in a most commendable manner by R. J. Harvey on Monday last when he fed approximately 2000 militiamen on the North common. Mr. Harvey's catering establishment is located at 672 Gorham street. He entered his bid for the big holiday event some time ago and was awarded the contract by the city authorities.

A great multitude of Lowell people and visitors from out of town gathered at the North common to see the soldiers receive their "rations." It was surely a scene well worth witnessing and everyone marveled at the speedy and systematic manner in which the big proposition was carried out.

In preparing for this occasion Mr. Harvey gave a local fish dealer one of the very largest orders he has ever received, for he bought one-half ton of salmon as a portion of the menu. The bill of fare which he selected was an excellent one. Besides the salmon there were green peas, new potatoes, rolls, butter, ice cream and coffee. Each of the companies had a table allotted to it and at each table an officer was in charge. The food was arranged on the tables and the men gathered about and were given their portions. All were highly pleased with the quality of the food and the service, and Mr. Harvey received many compliments on the efficient manner in which he carried out his contract.

Mr. Harvey was a very busy man during the holidays. On Sunday night he fed Battery C at Shedd park where they were encamped. In this gathering there were about 30 men and the manner in which they were served was a credit to the caterer and his force of men. Mr. Harvey also prepared breakfast for this battery on Monday morning.

Another big job which Mr. Harvey accomplished was that of catering for the Spanish War Veterans, numbering about 150, in a large hall which he hired in Worthen street for the occasion. This took place after the parade on Monday.

For these events Mr. Harvey secured a large additional force of help and his payroll for Sunday and Monday represented a large amount of money.

Mr. Harvey started in the catering business a comparatively short time ago and his business has rapidly increased from the very first. He makes a specialty of clambakes, outings, etc. Today he will cater for the republican outing at Bunting club grounds, and the order for this occasion calls for 1500 plates.

PERSONALS

Mrs. D. H. Varnum has gone to Beachwood, Me.

Mrs. Austin K. Chadwick is at Scarboro beach, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Hood are at Magnolia.

Dr. Return J. Meigs and family will spend the summer at Rye beach.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Munn Andrews are at Twin Pond, Me.

Leo Beatmont is the guest of friends at the Essex cottage, Salisbury beach.

Mrs. Bessie F. Tuft of Denver, Colo., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Francis of 179 Pleasant street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Dunbar have opened their summer home at Marblehead.

Misses Della Kelley of Lakeview avenue and Agnes Boyle of Fletcher street are at Salisbury beach.

Miss Lillian Skidmore of 195 Shaw street is spending the month of July at her home in Springhill, N. S.

Mrs. R. A. Davis and daughter, Mrs. C. Schultz, and Mrs. Schultz's children have gone to Hedding, N. H.

Mrs. Joseph Murray and Miss Sue Murray of Mammoth road are visiting in Maine and New Brunswick.

Mrs. Mary Jane Marsden, of 13 Perry street, New Bedford, is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. William Pomfret, of 30 Barker street this city. She will later visit Mr. and Mrs. John Emondson, of Raynham, Mass.

59 PANAMA BABIES IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, July 10.—Fifty-nine babies, all born in the Canal zone, arrived yesterday aboard the Panama Railroad company steamship Panama from Christobal. The mothers and most of the fathers were along, bound on vacation in the Temperate zone.

It is said that babies form a large part of the native population of the Canal zone, most of them born of American parents.

Other passengers by the Panama were Bishop A. K. Knight, president of Suwanee college, Tennessee; William Spencer, secretary of the American Legation at Panama, and Capt. C. E. Lull.

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B.&M. CAR SHOPS

Full Time Schedule Put in Operation Today—Business Good

The Boston & Maine repair shops in Billerica, which have been operating on a five day a week schedule for many months, this week started to run five hours on Saturday as a result of an increase in business. Though the employes will now work but 45 hours per week, it is understood they will receive pay for 48 hours, a half holiday on Saturday being given them by the company.

Since the curtailment last year the big shops, where over a thousand hands are employed, have operated but five eight-hour days a week. The large amount of work coming into the shops daily from all over the division has necessitated the opening of the plant on Saturday afternoons, beginning today, and the full force reported at the shops this morning at 7 o'clock and will work until 1 this afternoon. The working hours during the other days are from 8 a. m. to 4.30 p. m. with half hour for dinner.

Although the majority of the employes welcome the promise of better business, it is stated that the men who still reside in Concord and Keene, N. H., will make an effort to work five one-hour days a week and close on Saturdays, making the same total number of hours. This request is made so that the residents of the Granite state will have an opportunity to spend the week-ends with their families as they have been doing for the past year. While the authorities will not promise this schedule, it is intimated that in the near future operations will begin at the plant at 7 o'clock on Saturdays and suspend at noon, so that the New Hampshire men may get an earlier start for their respective homes.

RUSSIAN WAR REPORT

PETROGRAD, July 9, via London, July 10, 4.55 a. m.—The following official statement was issued tonight at the headquarters of the Russian general staff:

"Operations in the Shavli region, west of the Niemen, on the Narew front and on the left of the Vistula, have been without important changes.

"On the Bobr, below Ossowetz, near the village of Brjostovo, an attempt by the enemy to bridge the river was frustrated by our fire and the bridge was destroyed.

"We captured an enemy aeroplane in the valley of the Pissa.

"In the sector of Jednorowjetz-Przasnysz there have been lively artillery duels and isolated engagements.

"In the direction of Bolimow near the village of Goumine, the enemy was unable to advance at any point in spite of the use by him of asphyxiating gases and we continue to occupy our original positions.

"In the direction of Lublin our offensive has developed in the entire region from the confluence of the Poltlite brook to a point south of Bychawa (north of Krasnik.) The enemy continues to retire while trying to stop our advance and offered particularly stubborn resistance on Hill 118 south of the village of Vikolazgorny. The number of prisoners taken by us thus far exceeds 15,000.

"On the Bug, Zlota Lipa and Dniester rivers there has been no change, beyond a fruitless attack on the village of Kotwach on the Bug. Our patrols have reconnoitered the entire front during the last 24 hours and made hundreds of prisoners. The enemy left on our front 500 killed and wounded."

HAS NOT YET RECOVERED

Mrs. Kozakiewicz Still Suffers From Her Experience in the War Zone in Galicia

Mrs. Kozakiewicz, wife of the East Merrimack dye house proprietor, who returned recently from Galicia, where most of the heavy fighting on the eastern frontier took place, and who underwent untold privations during her stay there, has not yet quite recovered from the nervous strain brought on undoubtedly by her trying experiences.

Mrs. Kozakiewicz was in Warsaw when the fighting was most intense, and for eight days she was forced to stay in a cellar while the shrapnel and steel of the opposing armies fell all around the house in which she was hiding with her little daughter.

Mrs. Kozakiewicz says the soldiers in the Russian hospitals are receiving the best of care, and many of them hate to leave when their time is up. She also says the soldiers taken prisoners by the Russians are subjected to all kinds of hardships. Many of the people who have been driven from their homes and have seen relatives killed by shells have gone insane as a result of the war in Galicia.

In one small hall in Warsaw, Mrs. Kozakiewicz saw over 200 grown people and about 100 children quartered, sleeping and eating together. Mrs. Kozakiewicz made the journey from the stricken country to the United States with a great deal of difficulty, and you may be sure she was glad to get back among her people in this city. Since that time, however, she has had much sickness, but is slowly recovering from the effect of the awful scenes witnessed in the war zones.

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SUBMARINES FOR NAVY

WASHINGTON, July 10.—The next building program for the United States navy will include estimates for nearly double the number of submarines appropriated for by the last session of congress. From officials in close touch with the administration plans for the navy, it was learned last night that, while the general board would wait until September before making its recommendations, at least 30, and probably more, submarines certainly would be requested.

Some naval officers of high rank, who are being criticized, think that as many as 50 or 75 submarines would not be too many, but those who are taking into account the necessity for enlarging other parts of the navy program believe a conservative estimate of the number which eventually will be agreed upon is about 30. The last congress in three sessions authorized 26 submarines, and the United States has a total now of nearly 70 in commission or building.

Within two years the total, it is estimated, may be brought up to 100 under-sea craft.

REPORT OF BIRTHS

June

15—To Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Horan, of 102 Stevens street, a daughter.

17—To Mr. and Mrs. Jozef Pilard, of 24 Front street, a daughter.

20—To Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hill, of 27 Bellevue street, a son.

24—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Huckins, of 5 Mission Place, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Pasterczyn, of 190 Tilden street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. James McCarthy, of 4 Blossom street court, a son.

25—To Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Banach, of 4 rear of South street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace Suter, Jr., of 107 Holyrood avenue, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson, of 19 Epping street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Campbell, of 43 Marion street, a son.

26—To Mr. and Mrs. John Kucinski, of 231 Gorham street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Whittemore, of 240 West Manchester street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ritchotte, of 756 Central street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McGagh, of 207 Appleton street, a daughter.

27—To Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Plarido, of 21 Webster street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Marcin Wacylak, of 30 West Fourth street, a daughter.

28—To Mr. and Mrs. Dennis A. Donohoe, of 710 Central street, a daugeter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John J. Canney, of 21 Burns street, a son.

29—To Mr. and Mrs. Franciszek Wrebel, of 8 Beharrel avenue, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Boucher, of 17 Dodge street, a daughter.

30—To Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brubis, of 190 Adams street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Andritsopoulos, of 11 Tremont street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Jean B. Guilbault, of 339 West Sixth street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murry, of 38 Alken avenue, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hemlund, of 16 Agawam street, a daughter.

July

1—To Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hovanian, of 42 Third street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morin, of 225 Cheever street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Panagalopoulos, of 116 Dummer street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Savard, of 61 Branch street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. William J. Mitchell, of 228 Cross street, a daughter.

2—To Mr. and Mrs. Hermidas Lemire, of 685 Middlesex street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wormall, of 122 Quebec street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Edouard Pratte, of 309 West Sixth street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Chiannakos, of 55 Jefferson street, a son.

3—To Mr. and Mrs. George Paspasina, of 3 Little street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lamphinacos of 631 Market street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Lussier, of 55 Salem street, a daughter.

4—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Seket, of 8 Bay State court, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ourer Lemire, of of 534 Moody street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. David April, of 251 Cheever street, a son.

5—To Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Mape, of 45 Fisher street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nallvika, of 104 Charles street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Slyse, of 123 Railroad street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Landry, of 161 Avon street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Percy E. Suttle, of 21 Sixth avenue, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Holt, of 712 Gorham street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter O. Burgess, of 10 North Franklin court, a son

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sousa, of 1016 Gorham street, a daughter.

6—To Mr. and Mrs. John Garveda, of 72 Charles street, a son.

7—To Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Lauff, of 35 Lilley avenue, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Earl R. McLeod, 48 Hastings street, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. James McCrandle, of 90 Appleton street, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lemire, of 246 Cheever street, a son.

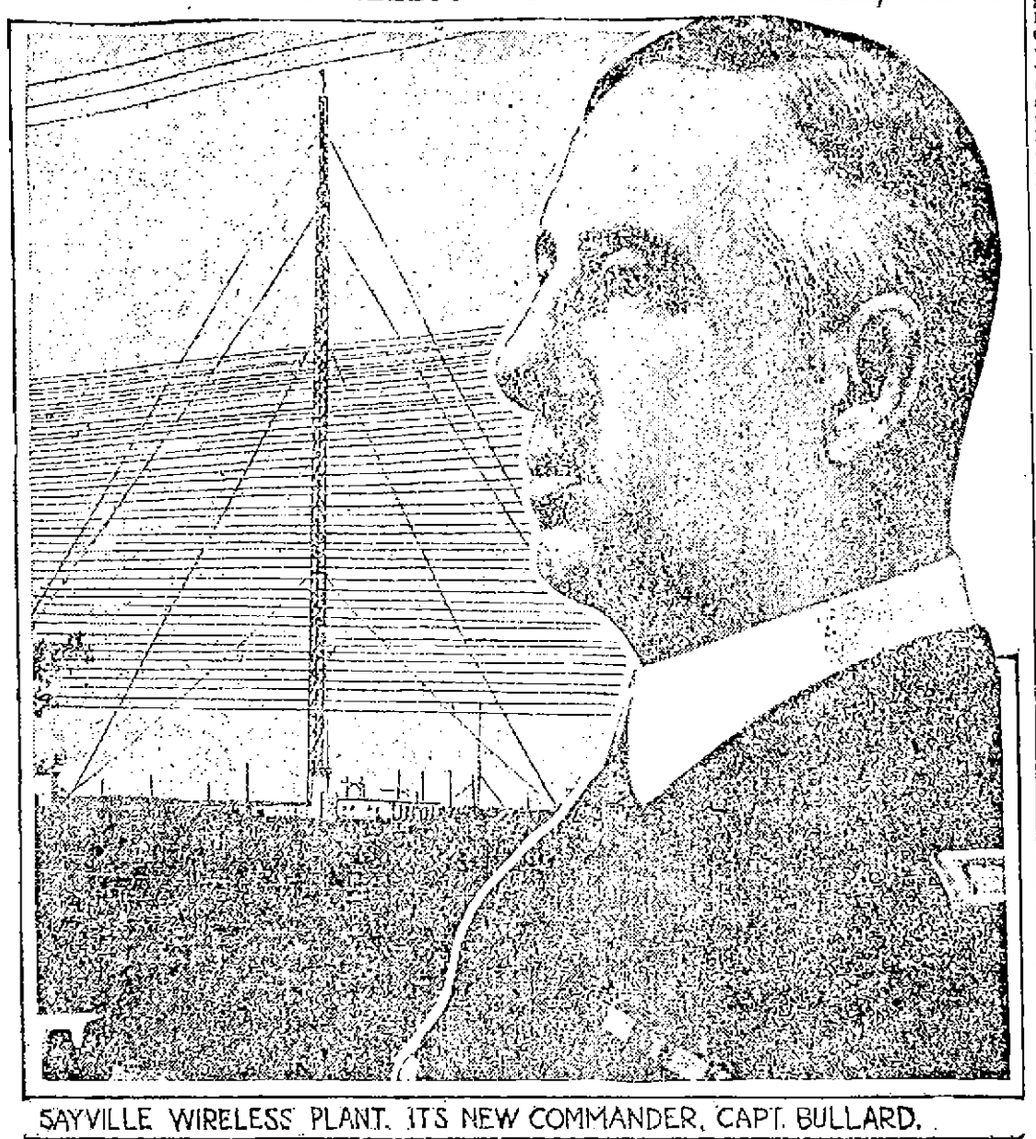
8—To Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Sophas, of 53 Mt. Vernon street, a daughter.

"MUSCULAR CHRISTIANITY"

CHICAGO, July 10. — "Muscular Christianity" found a prominent place on the program of the Christian Endeavor convention program today in a field meet at Stagg field, University of Chicago.

Relay races, sprints, the mile run, jumping and the shot put were open to all delegates.

UNITED STATES NAVY NOW CONTROLS WIRELESS PLANT AT SAYVILLE, N. Y.



SAYVILLE WIRELESS PLANT. ITS NEW COMMANDER, CAPT. BULLARD.

In the interest of American neutrality and to avoid contravention of The Hague convention forbidding the establishment of belligerent wireless stations on neutral soil during a war, the United States government has refused to grant a license to the Atlantic Communication company for the operation of the great German wireless station at Sayville, N. Y., and will take over at once the operation, management and control of that station. The navy department notified Congressman A. Metz, president of the company, of the decision of the government to take over the plant, and Captain William H. G. Bullard, superintendent of the United States naval station at Arlington, Va., assumed charge of it, having been sent to New York city for the purpose. The decision to take this step was reached after a series of conferences between Secretary Lansing, Secretary Redfield and Secretary Daniels of the navy. It followed the receipt of a communication from President Wilson at Cornish, N. H., in which he approved their course.

PRES. WILSON PLAYS GOLF

CORNISH, N. H., July 10.—President Wilson went out for his morning round of golf today before the news reached his summer home that the text of the latest German note on submarine warfare had been cabled to the United States for publication in this morning's newspapers.

President Wilson will remain here over Sunday. He has not made definite arrangements for returning to Washington to discuss the German note with his advisers. If possible, he will return here as soon as he has finished consideration of the note and the position to be taken by the United States.

CHASED WITH BLOODHOUNDS

SHAW, Miss., July 10.—After an all-day search by posses with bloodhounds, Homer and John Wilson, father-in-law and brother-in-law respectively of J. C. Davis, who was shot and killed near here were captured and placed in jail charged with murder.

FOR EXALTED RULER

LOS ANGELES, July 10.—The man who, rumor has it, will be the next exalted ruler of the Elks, is in the city. He is James R. Nicholson of Boston, chairman of the board of grand trustees.

FRENCH WAR REPORT

PARIS, July 10, 2.35 p. m.—The French war department today issued the following statement:

"In the region to the north of Arras certain attempts at attack on the part of the Germans last night directed against our positions on the road from Angres to Souchez were repulsed. At the Labyrinth there was fighting last night with hand grenades, but without making a change in the front line of one side or the other.

"In the Champagne district, along the front between Perthes and Beausejour, between Hill No. 196 and the fort a German attack was met by the fire of our infantry and artillery and dispersed with perceptible losses.

"In Lorrain the enemy, numbering a battalion, attacked our positions near Leintrey, but they were repulsed.

"There is nothing to report otherwise for the night with the exception of certain artillery engagements, notably in the forest of Apremont, in the forest of Le Pretre and at Fontenelle, where the enemy did not deliver any counter-attack, but contented themselves with directing artillery fire on two different occasions against the positions they had lost.

"A recount of the prisoners made in the combat of July 8 gives a total of 551, including 21 officers.

"French aviators yesterday bombarded the railroad stations at Arnaville and Bayonville as well as the military barracks at Norroy. Twenty-two shells and 1000 steel arrows were thrown down."

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REFUSES U. S. DEMANDS

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undertone of disappointment and apprehension over what Ambassador Gerard informed the state department that the German note would contain. The feeling has been, however, that nothing formal or official could be said concerning the American position until the official text arrived. President Wilson has been giving quiet consideration to the character of the reply and some of his advisers have already been making suggestions with reference to the course that should be pursued.

Analyzing the Answer

Analyzing the German answer today, officials found little on which it appeared that the negotiations could be further prolonged. The United States had devoted its attention to the principle that Americans should be able to travel on the high seas on unarmed and unresisting belligerent merchant ships of any nationality in accordance with previously recognized principles of international law. Assurances had been asked that before any destruction would be attempted, the visit and search of peaceful vessels and the transfer of passengers and crew to a place of safety would be accomplished. It was recognized that Germany in its latest note had ignored this vital question and had shifted, now emphasizing the conditions under which it would promise complete immunity from danger to Americans travelling even on American ships, a situation which, since Germany's circular note with reference to neutral vessels received on May 11, had not been called into question.

Violation of 1828 Treaty

The expression by Germany of a confident hope that the United States "will assume to guarantee that those vessels have no contraband on board, details of arrangements for the unhampered passage of these vessels to be agreed upon by naval authorities of both sides" left the implication in the minds of many officials that Germany was prepared to destroy American passenger ships if they were found to be carrying contraband. Even though passengers and crew of a neutral ship were transferred to a place of safety the destruction of the vessel for carrying contraband has been held by the United States to be in violation of international law except in an extreme case. With reference to destruction of American ships such destruction has been held specifically to be in violation of the Prussian-American treaty of 1828. It was recalled that in the last note which Germany sent on the Frye case, this treaty was given a new interpretation in that the right to stop American ships carrying contraband and even to destroy them was declared for the first time to be a natural inference from the language of the treaty.

Uphold Sinking of Lusitania

The reference in the new note to the Lusitania tragedy created a profound impression. After having asked the United States in the first place to consider that the Lusitania was in reality an armed auxiliary cruiser and carried high explosives, which the American government in its note contradicted with official information, the German government, it now seemed, had formally justified the action of the submarine commander in sinking the vessel, thereby refusing to disavow the act as the United States had requested. The statement that the German submarine commander could not have halted the vessel without submitting his boat and crew to danger of destruction and the assertion that it was not expected that the Lusitania would sink immediately after being torpedoed, but would remain afloat while passengers were removed to her boats, was taken to mean that Germany held that regardless of whether the Lusitania was armed the submarine commander took a proper course in torpedoing the ship without warning.

England's Blockade

The argument that England by violating international law in her embargo on neutral commerce with Germany had begun a policy of starvation for Germany's civilian population was viewed by officials as entirely irrelevant. The United States has insisted that its relations with one belligerent are not to be confounded with its controversies with another and that the Lusitania case constitutes a separate question which must be settled apart from any negotiations this government may have with other nations. It was recalled by some officials that Herr von Jagow, the German foreign minister, only recently in a published interview announced that England had not succeeded in starving Germany and that the blockade policy had been a failure. In view of this announcement officials were not inclined to attach much weight to the starvation argument.

The view that Americans on board belligerent ships were entitled to no more protection than neutrals would be on land in a war zone, was vigorously disputed by officials, who pointed out that jurisdiction of the belligerent on land was complete, while the high seas are jointly owned by all nations.

Certain of Rejection

The only definite proposal made by Germany to change the present status—the suggestion that four enemy ships could sail under the American flag if neutral passenger facilities proved inadequate—was considered certain of rejection because, aside from other considerations of principle involved, the United States could not undertake to guarantee any interference with the lawful shipment of contraband from its shores to any of the belligerents. Not only is there no federal statute which could be invoked in this connection, it was pointed out, but it always has been recognized as a fundamental right of merchants in neutral countries to trade in contraband, the burden being upon the belligerent to capture the cargoes on the high seas. Officials wondered today what influences had caused the German government to completely disregard the American point of view. There were intimations that in Berlin official quarters the belief prevailed that in the United States public sentiment was divided since Mr. Bryan's resignation and that the separation of passenger and contraband traffic was favored here as a means of compromising the issue.

The full text of the German reply will be found on the last page.

$65,000 FIRE AT PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Me., July 10.—Fire late yesterday afternoon in the office building and cabinet department of the Deland Mill company, corner of Fore and Cross streets, caused at least $65,000 damage.

It was discovered by Edward Verge, a watchman, who was driven back by a burst of flame and reached the street with his clothes on fire. He was sent to the Maine General hospital and, while badly burned, will recover.

Fireman M. J. Cady of engine 4 received bad cuts on his hands while trying to open a window. For a moment a great mass of flame and smoke drove the firemen back, but under the direction of Chief Butler they finally succeeded in saving the walls of the buildings. The interior was burned out.

BRIDE DROWNED

WOLFBORO, N. H., July 10.—Mrs. Thomas A. Gallagher was drowned in Lake Wentworth here yesterday. She was the wife of Thomas A. Gallagher of 17 Ames street, Lynn, to whom she was married in Brookline a few days ago.

The couple was passing a three weeks' honeymoon here. On July 5 they were visited by the parents of the groom, who left their automobile for the use of the young couple.

HUERTA WAVES HEARING

HELD IN $15,000 BONDS WHICH HE REFUSES TO FURNISH—A PRISONER AT FORT BLISS

EL PASO, Tex., July 10.—Gen. Victoriano Huerta waived preliminary hearing on charges of conspiracy to violate the United States neutrality laws late yesterday and was held under $15,000 bond for the federal grand jury at San Antonio, Dec. 20. He declined to furnish bond and was removed to Fort Bliss, where he will be guarded by federal marshals.

Immediately, Generals Ygnacio Bravo, Edouardo Caus, Jose Delgado and Enrique Corostieta and J. B. Ratner waived preliminary hearing, but all excepting Bravo furnished bond to appear at San Antonio.

General Bravo, who is 82 years old and has served 60 years in the Mexican army, was released on his personal recognizance. The bonds of the others, which had been fixed at $15,000 each, were reduced. Caus' bond was fixed at $2500; the others at $5000 each. Their bondsmen are local bankers.

General Huerta asked permission to speak in his own defense, but was dissuaded by his attorney.

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Through special trolley cars beginning July 6th leave Merrimack Square on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 5.15 a. m. Connections are made with boat at Revere Beach for Bass Point and the above round trip rate includes admission to the theatre at that point.
90c Nantasket Beach 90c
A delightful trolley ride to Boston and thence by boat to Nantasket, where the above round trip rate includes admission to the famous Paragon Park. Commencing July 6th tickets are good on all regular cars and boats (Sundays excepted).
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IN MILADY'S BOUDOIR

BY GWEN SEARS

EVENING MAKE UP

The art of evening make up is no hit or miss affair. It requires utmost cleverness and sophistication to so simulate nature that nobody will ever be deceived. Yet any woman can touch up her face so it will look ten years younger under electric light, if she is careful. Once yield to haste and carelessness, however, and the secret is out.

The evening make-up may be more elaborate than the daytime one. First bathe the face in luke warm water to which a pinch of borax has been added to soften the skin. Then go over the face and neck with cold cream, wiping it off with a soft cloth. Now apply the liquid rouge and remember that all faces do not require rouge in the same places. Rouge high on cheeks and near the nose makes the face youthful. Much rouge on the outer side of the cheeks gives a hard sophisticated, middle-aged look.

The plumper the face is the less rouge should be used on the edges and the more toward the center. Put a little rouge on the chin. Less if it is prominent, more if it recedes. The ear lobes should be touched with rouge for a dead white ear is never youthful.

Now go over the neck and face with liquid white powder, blending the edges softly and not forgetting the upper lid and hollow under the eyebrow. Spread on the liquid powder with a bit of absorbent cotton. Next take a stick of flesh colored grease paint and very delicately go over the hollows under the eyes, rubbing the grease paint in well with the finger tip.

Last come the eyebrows and the lips. Apply the lip stick very delicately to the lips, a little more generously to the lower lip which should look full and youthful. The eyebrows if thick need only be brushed and shaped. If thin they may be lightly pencilled with black and brown powder well mixed.

THE TOWN OF BILLERICA

Women Appointed Public Weighers—New Well System—Special Town Meeting Monday Night

With three women public weighers on its list of appointments, Billerica claims the distinction of being the only town in the United States with more than one woman holding this public office. Recently the town of Norwood boasted of being the only town in the country to have a woman performing the duties of the office of public weigher, but the Billerica board of selectmen came to the front recently and put the town in the limelight by the appointment of three competent women of the town, who have been sworn and are now eligible to do public weighing.

The women are Miss Nellie L. Rogers of Billerica Centre, employed as a bookkeeper and accountant at the coal and grain office of Elmer E. Cole; Miss Bertha E. Dimmock of Billerica centre, engaged in similar work at Morey's grain office, and Mrs. Maria Elwood, proprietor of a grocery store at North Billerica, who holds a key to the public scales near Talbot's mills at North Billerica.

The appointments were made by Selectmen Sanford, Wright and Manning. Miss Rogers has for several years worked as bookkeeper in Cole's office while Miss Dimmock is a more recent attache to the Morey establishment. Mrs. Elwood has been proprietor of a grocery store at the North village since the death of her husband several years ago. It is stated that the women are very capable of performing their duties and just as dependable as men. They have received the congratulations of suffragists in this section on account of her appointments.

Special Meeting

The coming special meeting of the town of Billerica, scheduled to take place in the town hall Monday evening, entails the appropriation of large sums of money and for that reason it is expected that considerable interest will be shown, especially by the large tax-payers, who will be called upon the burden the expense of many improvements this year. Large sums of money are wanted for water extensions and new roads while $1200 is also desired for a new fire station. The article asking for the appropriation of $300 for a baseball diamond on the Charles Kohlrausch playground is being championed by the younger element of the town who point out the fact that there is no good baseball diamond available at the present time.

New Wells

The question of new driven wells to insure the town's increased water supply is being considered by officials of the water department. It is a well known fact that more wells are needed to grant the demand of the Boston & Maine shops and townspeople. Test wells have been driven on the opposite side of the road from the Billerica pumping station and samples of the water have been sent to the authorities at the state house and reported all right. It is now proposed to buy a new track of land and drive 45 wells, but permission to borrow the money has not yet been voted by the town and hence the work is halted.

New High School

The ground will soon be broken for the new $90,000 high school to be erected on Main street, Billerica Centre, on land recently purchased from the Joshua Bennett estate. The school, the plans of which have already been outlined in The Sun, will be one of the most beautiful in this section and will be modern in every way. A member of the committee in charge of the plans stated that the building would probably not be ready for occupancy until a year from September.

Town Farm

The Billerica town farm is being renovated according to the recommendation of the state board of health. The buildings at the institution were recently inspected by state authorities who declared that either a new poor-farm would have to be constructed or extensive alterations made. After careful consideration it was decided to change over the present buildings and contracts for the work were recently awarded. The improvements include new plumbing, bathrooms, painting and alterations, and Billerica is assured of an up-to-date institution for its paupers ere many weeks have passed away.

Twilight Baseball

The Twilight Baseball league, recently organized by Manager Frank Mullin, one of the most enthusiastic fans in the town, is now going along splendidly and large crowds are attracted to the games regularly. The league is composed of three teams and five innings are played each night, 16 innings making a full game. Considerable friendly rivalry exists between the teams as there will be a cash prize for the winner of the pennant, a prize for the man scoring the most runs and others. The captains of the three teams are Frank Mahoney, Warren Switzer and John Maxwell.

The schedule for the remainder of July is: Blues vs. Grays, July 12; Reds vs. Blues, July 13; Grays vs. Reds, July 15; Blues vs. Grays, July 16; Reds vs. Blues, July 19; Grays vs. Reds, July 20; Blues vs. Grays, July 22; Grays vs. Reds, July 23; Reds vs. Blues, July 26; Blues vs. Grays, July 27; Grays vs. Reds, July 29; Reds vs. Blues, July 30. The Blues were called Fennways. Grays were called Ovals and the Reds were formerly known as Fordways.

Talbot Mills

Several departments of the Talbot mills have been working overtime for the past week in an effort to get out some samples in a hurry. It was stated that no large order has been secured as yet.

Work on the new parish house for St. Andrew's church is being rushed along as rapidly as possible, although the unfavorable weather has checked the operations considerably. The building will probably be finished in another month if the weather is favorable.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

A Central American revolution in the making and in actual process of "revolluting" is admirably shown at the B. F. Keith theatre, in the big Metro production of "Fighting Bob," which will be given its two final presentations this afternoon and evening. Hundreds of greasers are impressed into service for the picture, while the principals are Orrin Johnson and Olive Wyndham, two of the best known performers on the legitimate stage. Johnson has the title role, that of a high class Central American who has been educated in the United States, and who returns to his native land to find rebellion seething. The troops which are ordered by his father, the president, to put down the rebellion, are ambuscaded and badly beaten, and then "Bob" goes to the rescue with some fresh forces and stamps out the insurrection. Through it all runs a very pretty love story, and one which has a charming ending. The picture is in five parts and over 300 separate scenes are shown. A Charlie Chaplin picture, one of the laugh-compelling sort, is shown, and in addition there are several other short ones. Tomorrow afternoon a specially engaged bill will be presented, and the first three days of next week "Cora," with Emily Stevens in the title part will be the feature.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

If you fail to visit the home of the big organ, today, you are missing one of the best moving picture bills of the season. Manager White is staging another of his double Paramount bills, featuring Miss Maude Allan, the well known dancer, in "The Rug Maker's Daughter," and putting on as an additional feature, a splendid, thrilling, five act war drama entitled "Brother Officers." The Paramount guarantee of the best possible in film land stands behind both pictures. Besides these two head-liners, there are plenty of other reels, including side-splitting comedy. The show has already made good; the rest is up to you. Big all-feature show for Sunday.

LAKEVIEW PARK

There is always a variety of wholesome entertainment to be found at Lakeview park and of a kind that is pleasing to both old and young. At the theatre, a fine program of the latest moving pictures are shown both afternoon and evening and on the outdoor stage are seen every week, excellent vaudeville acts, all free to patrons of Lakeview. Next week the management have booked as the free outdoor attraction, The Aerial Bishops, a clever gymnastic team who will be seen in many remarkable feats of strength. The Bishops will appear every afternoon and evening during the week, at 4 p. m. and 9:15 p. m. The pictures to be shown at the theatre will include a number of the latest productions, pictures that have never been seen in Lowell or vicinity before. Sunday afternoon and evening Tabor's Sixth regiment band will be heard in a popular and attractive program.

CANOBIE LAKE PARK

Today and tomorrow will afford the lovers of motion pictures a final opportunity to enjoy that greatest of all film masterpieces "The Christian," at Canobie Lake park theatre. This Hall Caine's greatest love story, is a film that has drawn millions of film fans all over the country and with such famous and popular stars as Edith Storey and Earle Williams playing the principal roles supported by the pick of the big Vitagraph company of players, it can well be imagined that the production is well up to the usual quality of Vitagraph offerings.

In the afternoon the theatre will be open with free admission to all during the rendition of a brilliant band concert by the Nashua Military band, Ralph W. Holt, director, the concert starting at 3 o'clock and continuing until 5 o'clock. The following program will be offered by this crack musical organization:

March, "Captain Anderson"
Overture, "Wondrous Hope"
Selection, "High Jinks"
Popular Medley, selected
Xylophone, "William Tell Fantasia," Mr. A. M. Bennett
Suite,
a Pomposity
b Simplicity
c Coquetry
Concert waltz, "Newport Casino"
Chilian Dance, "Mamana"
Selection, "When Johnnie Comes Marching Home"
Finale, "Regimental Pride"

QUENCHING THE FLAMES

FIRE STILL IN HOLDS OF THE MINNEHAHA AT HALIFAX—NEW THEORY OF FIRE

HALIFAX, N. S., July 10.—Today for the first time the theory of spontaneous combustion was advanced by some of those who were on board the Atlantic Transport liner Minnehaha when the explosion and fire occurred last Wednesday. Yesterday all of the officers and crew who talked held firmly to the original theory that a bomb had been secreted in the cargo. No explanation other than these two has been offered. Capt. Frank H. Claret has remained silent.

Those who now suggest a natural cause will not be quoted but maintain that spontaneous combustion in hold three near a quantity of whiskey might have caused the shock. The presence of the whiskey in the cargo accounted for the alcoholic fumes described earlier by others of the crew. Two of the two hundred horses on board were suffocated.

Upon permission of the authorities at Ottawa the Minnehaha moved up to the inner harbor today and anchored opposite the railway terminal where the lightering of the cargo from under the upper hatches of hold three was begun. Dense volumes of smoke soon were pouring from the open hatches and the fire was again brought into play.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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Sliding Roof Makes Open-Air Theatre
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"The Wonderful Belasco Star"
MARY NASH
In "THE UNBROKEN ROAD" A CHARLES CHAPLIN comedy and others.
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FUNERALS

PERUSSE—The funeral of Mrs. Albina Perusse took place this morning from her home, 5 Racine place. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Julien Lacette, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Armand Baron, O. M. I., as deacon and Rev. Victor Vlaud, O. M. I., as subdeacon. The bearers were Joseph Savoie, Remi and Napoleon Boisvert, Alexandre Ducharme, Henri Goyette and Alfred Cloutier. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Charles Denizot, O. M. I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker A. D. Doucette.

DROLET—The funeral of Joseph A. Drolet took place this morning from his home in Kenwood, Dracut. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Louis' church at 9 o'clock by Rev. J. B. Labossiere, assisted by Rev. L. C. Bedard as deacon and Rev. E. Vincent as sub deacon. The bearers were Louis Latour, Miguel Martin, Charles Pilotte and Camille Roussin. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the comittal prayers were read by Fr. Labossiere. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Son.

TABER—The funeral of Sarah Taber, infant daughter of Maurice and Fannie Taber, took place yesterday from the home of her parents, 89 Railroad street. Burial was in the Hebrew cemetery, Pelham, N. H., under the direction of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Son.

BURNS—The funeral of William Nelson Burns took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 15 Pleasant street. There was a profusion of floral offerings. Among them were sprays from Aunt Elizabeth, grandma, Cousin Bessie Rourke, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Drury and family, playmates, friends and several others. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, and under the direction of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

COVALSKI—The funeral of Marie Covalski, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Covalski, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 57 Lakeview avenue. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker A. D. Doucette.

CUMMINGS—The funeral of Edith R. Cummings was held from the home of her parents, 72 Boylston street. The services were conducted by Rev. James Bancroft of St. John's church. Burial was made at Hardwick. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck.

SLATER—The funeral of Mrs. Harriet A. Slater was held yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 79 Branch street. The services were conducted by Rev. John W. Suter of St. Anne's Episcopal church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery.

COLEMAN—The funeral of Mrs. Anna Coleman took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 87 Christian street, and was largely attended. A funeral high mass was celebrated in St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Henry Tattan. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Henry Tattan read the burial service. The bearers were Messrs. William Coleman, Thomas Kelleher, John Dempsey and Thomas Maker. There were many floral tributes placed on the grave. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

DEATHS

FORTIER—Jean Baptiste Fortier, aged 55 years, died today at his home, St. James street, Dracut. He leaves his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Amanda Audette of Waterville, Me., Misses Melvina and Marie Fortier of this city; a son, Alphonse.

HOWARD—Mr. Lesier Howard of 35 Livingston avenue, died yesterday morning at the Lowell General hospital, aged 21 years. He is survived by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard; five brothers, two sisters, all in England except one brother, John P. Howard of this city. The body was removed to the chapel of Undertakers Simmons & Brown, 36 Branch street.

CHAPMAN—Edwin Chapman, aged 74 years, a former resident of this city, and for many years in the wholesale beef business in Boston, and a director of the Adams-Chapman Co. of Boston, died yesterday at a Boston hospital after undergoing an operation. Deceased served as president of the New England Beef Co., Mayo Beef Co., Quincy Beef Co. and Corwin-Wilde Co. and as vice president and president of the Adams-Chapman Co. He was a director of the Fourth National bank and of several corporations, including the American Glue Co. In 1902 Chapman gave Ashby a public library building. He is survived by his wife, and by a daughter, Mrs. Jesse P. Lyman.

TABER—Sarah Taber, aged 5 years, 1 month, daughter of Maurice and Fannie Taber, died July 8, at the Lowell hospital. The body was removed to the home of her parents, 89 Railroad street.

ST. GEORGE—Joseph St. George, aged 39 years, 11 months, died Thursday evening at his home, 795 Lakeview avenue, after a lingering illness. He leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pierre St. George of Canada; his wife, Mrs. Anna St. George; three sons, Joseph, Pierre and Arthur; a daughter, Rose Alma, and several brothers and sisters in Canada.

MONAHAN—Michael Monahan, a well known resident of Lowell, died yesterday in this city. He leaves a wife; two children, James and Catherine; four brothers, John of Ireland and William, Frank and James of San Francisco, and two sisters, Mrs. Patrick Corkey and Mrs. Ann Lavery, both of Lowell. He was a member of Division 8, A. O. H. The body was taken to the rooms of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BURTON—Susan E. Burton died at her home in Billerica Centre yesterday. Besides her husband, Charles L., she leaves one son, C. A. Martin of Lynn.

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BIG REPUBLICAN OUTING

Continued

A Little Dissention

Because Hon. Horton H. Hilton, who is deeply interested in the candidacy of Mr. A. B. Messer for sheriff, was at the head of the affair, rumors were in circulation that the outing was to be turned into a Messer rally and in fact one well known republican wasn't going to allow the use of his auto because he had heard that it was to be decorated with Messer banners. He was assured that such was not the case and showed up in line. Not only was Sheriff Fairbairn present but he also had a large bunch of friends in attendance. But Mr. Messer, like the traditional busy bee, improved each shining, not to speak of each rainy hour, by sending out letters to his friends in the different towns below Lowell boosting the outing and telling them that he would like to have them present with their autos so that he might make a good showing at the affair. He also kindly offered to supply them with banners reading: "Messer for Sheriff." As a result there were some 25 autos in line with the Messer banners, and all were from out of town, so that Chairman Hilton cannot be held responsible for slipping anything over on the present sheriff.

The Presiding Officer

The writer must confess that he received a huge jolt when he learned the identity of the gentleman selected to preside at the festivities, who was William D. Regan, Esq., the well known attorney of The Sun building. Chairman Hilton, with due modesty, simply called to order and thanked all present for their interest in the affair. Then he introduced Mr. Regan, and there was certainly a murmur of surprise through that crowd when they heard his name, together with the question: "How long has he been a republican? But, nevertheless, "Billo" was on the job, and made an eloquent presiding officer.

The Opening Exercises

The opening exercises were not marked with prayer but with a good-looking auto parade headed by the Sixth Regiment band carefully stowed away in Heffler's big auto truck. The Sixth Regiment was at its best and while the Eighth Regiment band has been receiving quite a boost since the parade on the Fifth, one should not forget that in the Sixth, that regiment also has a first class musical organization "made in Lowell." Charlie Wotton presided over the auto parade as gracefully and completely as he ever conducted the affairs of a ward three campaign. The autos were due to crank up at 1.30, but it was shortly after that time that the word was given to march. The committee furnished an auto for the press, and hence the appearance of a few "demmies" in line. The parade proceeded over the following route: Lane street to Westford, to Thorndike, to Dutton, to Merrimack, to Central, to Church, to Andover, to Nesmith, to Boylston, to the grounds.

A great crowd was present on arrival of the autos and they continued to arrive all afternoon. In order to accommodate the late comers the first event was the ball game between the Kimball Systems and the C. M. A. C.'s, which started about 2 o'clock. After the game the speaking was called and after the speaking the remainder of the athletic program of wrestling and running was taken up.

A buffet lunch was served throughout the afternoon.

A large committee had charge of the event presided over by Hon. Horton H. Hilton, with Edward T. Goward as secretary, while Fred G. Humphriss proved to be an efficient chairman of the committee on publicity.

FUNERAL NOTICES

ROGERS—Died in Brighton, Mass., July 9th, Alonzo D. Rogers, aged 48 years, 11 months and 4 days, at St. Elizabeth's hospital. Funeral services at his late home, 35 John street, this city, Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

BRECKENRIDGE—The funeral of Robert Breckenridge will take place Sunday afternoon from his home, 131 Jewett street. Private prayers at the house at 2 o'clock. Services at the Paige Street Baptist church at 2.30. Friends invited. Burial private. Funeral in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

SARGENT—The funeral of Mrs. Hannah Augusta Sargent will take place Sunday afternoon. Services will be held at 416 Pleasant street, Hovey square, Dracut, at 2.45 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. Kindly omit flowers. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HOWARD—Died in this city, July 9, at the Lowell General hospital, Mr. Lester Howard of No. 35 Livingston avenue. Funeral services will be held from the chapel of Undertakers Simmons & Brown, 36 Branch street, on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are invited. Burial will be in the Westlawn cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

MONAHAN—The funeral of Michael Monahan will take place Monday morning from the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons, Market street, at 8 o'clock. A high mass of requiem will be sung at the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Burial in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MOODY—Died July 10, in this city, Harlar Stewart Moody, aged 1 year, 10 months and 21 days, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Moody, 173 Stackpole street. Funeral services will be held at 173 Stackpole street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited, without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Tomorrow will be the regular communion day for the Holy Name society of St. Peter's church and it is expected there will be a very large turnout of the members.

The officers of the society met in the school during the past week and [illegible] to fully prepare to cover the territory assigned to them. The regular breakfast following communion will be omitted tomorrow on account of the hour.

MATRIMONIAL

Urbain Warren Wright and Miss Louise [illegible] Fisher, daughter of Dr. [illegible] of New York, a former resident of the state institution for the feeble-minded at Templeton, were married recently in New York.

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DELAY UP TO SCHOOL BOARD

Continued

sitions to be handled by the municipal council, but so far as the high school is concerned, he says, the school board and not the council is to blame. As to the Pawtucket bridge matter he admits that the council did not go about it in the right way in the beginning, but inasmuch as it would be impossible to work on the bridge with the river at its present height he feels that tears are unnecessary. He calls attention to the fact, too, that the job has not yet been let. He thinks that will help some. As to the Dummer street extension Mr. Duncan says the city engineer was instructed to revise his figures on land costs and the figures, he said, should be forthcoming at the meeting on Tuesday. Mr. Duncan admits, however, that the extension of Dummer street is not as imperative as is the construction of a new high school or contagious disease hospital and the commissioner did not know that Lawrence was already caring for tuberculosis cases from this city. "The city," said Mr. Duncan, "ought not to lose any time in the construction of a contagious disease hospital. It isn't to Lowell's credit to have her tubercular patients treated in Lawrence. The summer will have slipped away before we get a start on any of the things that are necessary."

Street Department Work

Commissioner Morse has been pushing the street department work for all it is worth. He has completed the tar macadam on the east side of Gorham street from Manchester street to Cosgrove street. The tar macadam connects at this point with the asphalt macadam that runs from Cosgrove street to the city line, so that Gorham street is smooth-paved on one side, at least, all the way to the city line.

Tar is being poured on Rogers street, on the west side, from Nesmith street to Boylston street and a portion of the west side of High street is being torn up and made ready for broken stone. Men are at work near the Moody school in High and Rogers streets rounding off the corner to conform with land taken by resolution some few weeks ago.

Hale street has been paved with grouted six-inch blocks, on a sand base, from Lincoln square to Cambridge street. A number of minor jobs including repairs, etc., were cleaned up this week and Mr. Morse feels that he has his street and sewer work well in hand.

The Sale of Cherries

Warren P. Riordan, sealer of weights and measures, has had cherry trouble, not the kind that comes to one from eating too heartily of them, but the kind that has to do with the sale of them when it is your business to look after the salesmen, peddlers and others. There's a new law providing for the sale of gooseberries, raspberries, blueberries, cherries and currants by Massachusetts dry measure, quart, pint and half-pint, but Mr. Riordan, after going over all the laws obtainable in Lowell and elsewhere has discovered an unrepealed law which states specifically that cherries may be sold by weight. This settles the cherry question, but the sealer wants it distinctly understood that the feeling experienced by eating too generously of cherries purchased by weight is identical with that caused by over-indulgence in cherries purchased by Massachusetts dry measure.

Some time next week the sealers of weights and measures for Lowell, Lawrence and surrounding towns will hear from Thure Hanson, state commissioner of weights and measures. Mr. Hanson will address them on the new law relative to the issuance of state and county licenses to hawkers and peddlers. There has been more or less confusion in the granting of these licenses in places where there were no properly constituted boards and under the new law the state will issue licenses providing the applicant has the recommendation of the mayor or board of selectmen.

The Park Department

A cry of distress comes from the park department to the effect that they are unable to attend to the number of calls received for tree trimming. There are a great many bad trees in Lowell and the department hasn't got a very large tree appropriation. Now what the park department wants the people to understand is that the removal of dangerous trees is more important than tree trimming and that the bulk of the money will be used for the removal of dangerous trees. Good night!

BRYAN GETS A RUDE JOLT

He's Not Nebraska's Most Distinguished Citizen, So a Jury Voted Yesterday

OMAHA, July 10—William J. Bryan is not the most distinguished citizen of Nebraska. A committee of representative men, chosen regardless of politics by Gov. Morehead to name the most distinguished citizen of the state, voted the honor to Laurence A. Bruner, professor of entomology at the state university.

Mr. Bryan at first received just one vote but in a later ballot even this vote was taken from him and was given to Prof. Bruner. The selection was made at the request of the San Francisco exposition management which will entertain the most distinguished man from each state in September.

LOSES BRIDE NEAR ALTAR

PITTSBURGH, July 10—Just as Robert R. Jacobs, president of the Waynesburg, (Ohio) bank, who was sued last week for $50,000 for breach of promise by Ellen W. Carmine of Indianapolis was about to lead his prospective bride, Miss Grace Wendt of Baltimore, to the altar here yesterday she was arrested on the charge of using the mails to defraud.

Miss Wendt came here from Baltimore, where, according to the postal authorities, she represented herself as J. V. Cowels of Waterlon, Ia., in purchasing a safety razor sharpening machine from a Cincinnati company for $165. She is alleged to have paid $5 cash and to have given notes signed J. V. Cowles for the balance.

Jacobs tried to get the federal officials here to accept property in Ohio for the woman's bail, but they refused.

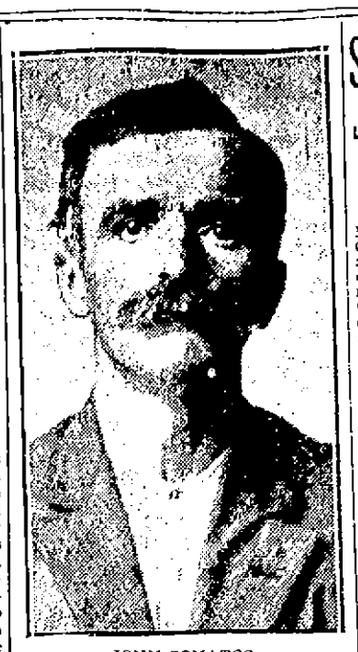
GEN. GOURAUD LOSES AN ARM

PARIS, July 10—France now has two "one armed heroes" in active service.

Gen. Gouraud, commander-in-chief of the French Dardanelles forces, who was recently wounded, submitted to amputation of his right arm, it was learned today.

Gen. Paul Pau lost his arm in the Franco-Prussian war.

BRICK MASONS AND STONE MASONS wanted at Tyngsborough school. Apply to foreman at Job. E. A. Peabody & Son.



JOHN COMATOS,
Held on Suspicion of Murdering John Demos at Elm Place
Photo by Marion Studio.

LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

Optimistic View in London

London despatches reflect an optimistic view of the war situation taken by the entente allies, induced chiefly by the British conquest of German Southwest Africa, and the increasing powers of resistance shown by the Russians.

The Russian official statement reports the blocking of German attempts to advance toward Warsaw from the north and east and declares the offensive taken by the Russian armies below Lublin is developing.

Teutons Still In Retreat

The Teutonic forces in the southern Poland region are continuing to retreat, Petrograd declares, but are fighting stubbornly as they retire. A Petrograd correspondent says the Germans are sending strong reinforcements for this army and it is believed there will shortly be an attempt by it to recover its lost initiative.

Austrians Repulsed

Along the Italian-Austrian front the repulse of Austrian attacks in several sectors are reported from Rome. The latest statement from Vienna reports comparative quiet along this front and the breaking up of isolated attacks by the Italians.

Comment on Note

The German reply to the American note on the Lusitania and submarine warfare has been published both in this country and in Germany, but the official text is not yet in the hands of the Washington government. Pending its receipt and in the absence of President Wilson from the capital, comment in official circles is withheld.

Indications of the way the note is regarded in Germany are furnished by cable excerpts from an editorial in the Berlin Morgent Post which declares the answer "in every way is worthy of Germany" and expresses the conviction that the note "will meet unrestrained approval at the hands of a large part of Americans."

FEELING OF OPTIMISM AGAIN MANIFESTING ITSELF IN LONDON

LONDON, July 10, 11.55 a. m.—A feeling of optimism which has been absent for some time, again is manifesting itself here. This feeling is chiefly due to Gen. Botha's victory in German Southwest Africa which at one stroke deprives Germany of territory larger than that of the German empire.

The size of the captured territory is enormously disproportionate to that of the defending forces which consisted of 204 officers and 3166 men.

The cheerfulness of the entente allies also has been aided by the stands being made by the Russians near Lublin, in southern Russian Poland, and along the Zlota Lipa river in Galicia. It is believed in London that the stubborn resistance of the Russians is doing much to postpone the dreaded German offensive along the western front.

Kitchener's Speech a Warning

Only fragmentary summaries of the German reply to America have so far been published here, but for several days the British press has been busy predicting that Berlin's reply to the second Lusitania note would be unsatisfactory.

The newspapers comment at length on the speech of Field Marshal Earl Kitchener at the Guildhall yesterday, according to their views regarding conscription, one faction maintaining that the war secretary uttered a direct warning of the possibility of forced military service while the other organs profess to see in his remarks a reaffirmation of the belief in the efficacy of the voluntary system.

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S WAR NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

French drive Germans off Ban-de-Sapt hill in Vosges and set back German line nearly half a mile.

British after a two-day hand grenade battle push Germans out of more trenches north of Ypres.

Berlin announces capture of French fortifications near Ally on Verdun-Metz sector.

Vienna announces that heavy Russian assaults north of Krasnik were repulsed.

Turks and Arabs invade Aden Hinterland and menace British port near Red sea entrance.

British and French government and military heads confer at Calais.

Earl Kitchener appeals for more men; all of military fitness in Britain to be asked to enlist.

GARY PLANT ON FULL TIME

CHICAGO, July 10.—The Gary plant of the Illinois Steel company, which has been partially shut down for the last two years, will begin operation at full capacity on Monday. Twelve thousand men will be given employment. Until recently the pay roll has listed only 6,000.

Eight blast furnaces, forty-two open hearth furnaces, 880 coke ovens, the rail, axle and other rolling mills will resume. An announcement of the reopening of the idle plants was made at the Gary office of the company yesterday.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SIXTH REGIMENT CAMP

LOCAL COMPANIES WILL GO TO BARNSTABLE NEXT MONTH ON AUGUST 8

The members of the Sixth regiment, M. V. M., N. G., including Companies C, G and K of this city are making arrangements for their annual encampment which will be held next month. It was stated at the armory this forenoon that practically every company has its full quota of members and there is a good list of names of parties who are waiting for an opportunity to join.

The encampment will be held this year at West Barnstable on the shore of a great lake, at a point where the officers' school was held two years ago. It is an ideal summer place and it is fair to assume that the members of the regiment will thoroughly enjoy their trip this year. The companies will leave Lowell on Aug. 8 and will remain in camp eight days. The first few days of the week will be devoted to field work and athletics and the last two to field maneuvers.

It is hoped that all members will be in readiness for the start on Aug. 8. The full quota of the local companies is 65 men, but five of these are connected with the Machine Gun company stationed at Quincy.

The Ninth regiment of which Company M of this city is a part, will go to camp at Sandwich a week from tomorrow. Their encampment will also last eight days. The regular drills of all local companies will be held next week on the regular nights and the spare evenings will be devoted to recruit drill.

PLAN MORE BUILDINGS

U. S. CARTRIDGE CO. TO BUILD ADDITION AND GARAGE OFF WATSON STREET

Work has been started on the erection of the four story addition to the main building of the U. S. Cartridge Co., in Lawrence street and within few weeks workmen will start excavation for a one-story brick garage for the company to be erected in a field in Watson street. The garage will be a large affair, 150 feet long and 60 feet wide. It will include a machine shop for the repairing of automobiles and will be capable of housing more than 35 machines. The plan will probably be completed next week. The work will be supervised by the Wamesit Power Co.

The new addition to the main building will extend out to the four-story building along Andrew street which was started some time ago, is nearly completed and will soon be ready for occupancy.

The addition to the main building and the new garage will cost over $100,000.

The Wamesit Power Co., has also taken out a permit for the construction of a dynamometer building in Lawrence street. This building will be 100 feet from the street line, and will have a concrete floor and foundation of the same material. The 16-inch walls will be of brick. The building will be one story in height and triangular in shape and will cover an area of 560 square feet.

PERSONALS

J. P. Lincourt of Brockton is visiting friends in Lowell.

Arthur Ringuette of Manchester, N. H. is the guest of local relatives.

Napoleon Roux of Fall River is the guest of Joseph Lafontaine and Antoine Rivard of Dalton street.

Misses Yvonne and Marie Anne Rivard of Springfield are the guests of their brother in this city.

Amedee Archambault, Jr., of Merrimack street is on an automobile tour to New York.

George Provencher and Simeon Perreault of Biddeford, Me., are visiting friends in this city.

Francis Garrity of the H. R. Bark company, is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

John B. Morin of Austin street has returned from a pleasant week's stay at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Octave Destrempes of Woonsocket, R. I. are visiting friends in Lowell.

Rev. Eugene Desmarais of l'Assomption, Que. is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gervais of Lakeview avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fisette of Woodcock avenue left last night on an extended trip to Canada.

Miss Clola Roy of Branch street, has entered the order of the Sisters of the Holy Family at Sherbrooke, Que.

Miss Blanche Bibeault, of Fox street, is the guest of relatives at Beverly, Mass.

Willie Guilbault of Biddeford, Me., is the guest of his brother, L. J. Guilbault of Merrimack street.

Undertaker A. D. Doucette of Moody street left last night for Paterson, N. J. on business.

Patrick Flannery, a prominent Centralville young man is sojourning at his camp at Willow Dale for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolphe Lamontagne and family of Moody street have returned from a pleasant automobile trip to St. Johnsbury, Vt.

Mrs. R. A. Davis, of 60 Rock street has gone to Hedering, N. H. to the cottage for the remainder of the summer months.

At St. Alban's mission, North Chelmsford the Rev. Wilson Waterman will preach on the Fourth Commandment at 7 o'clock.

Dr. and Mrs. George E. Caisse, Miss Rose Caisse, W. P. Caisse, W. I. Caisse, Jr., Miss Loupret and Raymond Blais, left this morning on an automobile trip to Winooski, Vt. They will return Tuesday.

L. J. Cornellier and Ernest Rousseau have been elected delegates to represent Carillon council at the biennial convention of l'Union St. Jean Baptiste d'Amerique which will be held at Worcester on Sept. 14-15. P. Morrissette and Dr. Adelard Payette were chosen alternates.

ILLINOIS GOVERNOR ACCUSED

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 10.—Validity of some of the most important of the millions of dollars of appropriations by the last legislature is challenged in four bills for injunction filed in the Sangamon county circuit court yesterday to restrain the state treasurer from paying specific items totalling close to $2,000,000. The bills were signed by a taxpayer, John B. Ferguson.

Governor Dunne and other high state officials are depicted in the bills as having been in a combination through the legislative session just closed to mulct the state treasury for illegal increases in their own salaries and perquisites and for the lavish scattering of public funds.

The bills, according to Mr. Ferguson's attorneys, are to be followed by others of even more startling nature for the purpose of tying up more of the $50,000,000 appropriations.

BASEBALL AND FIELD SPORTS

THE SUN SPORTING PAGE

BOXING, GOLF AND ATHLETICS

Y BACK IN .400 CLASS

MMERMAN MAKES BIG GAIN IN NATIONAL LEAGUE—THE BATTING AVERAGES

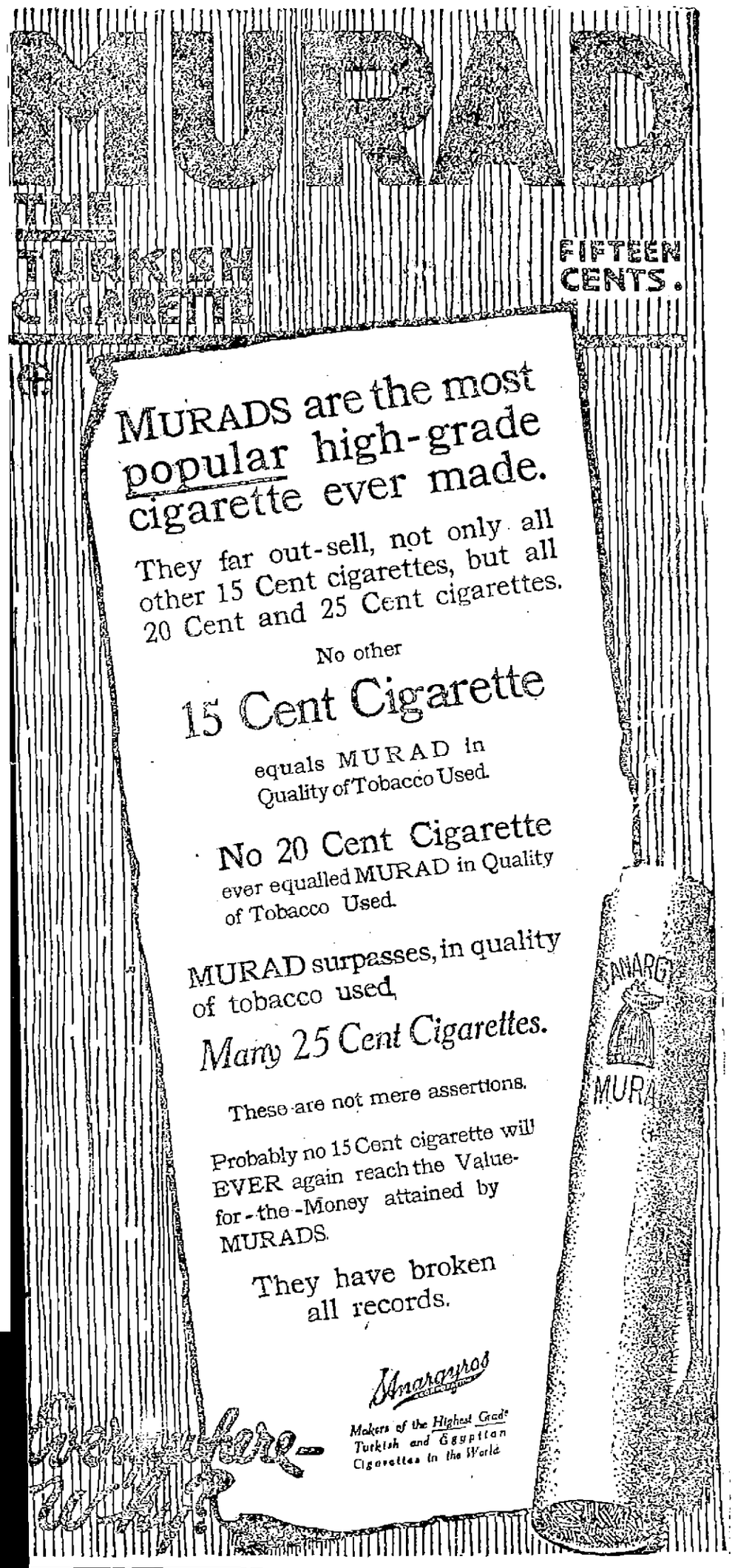
CHICAGO, July 10.—Banging out 21 ife hits in his last 36 times at bat, mmie Zimmerman of the Chicago Cubs ifted himself last week from about th place to 12th among the National ague batters and threatens, with his erage of .298, to break into the first . Last week his average was .254.

The first ten hitters, according to averages published here today, which include the records of last Wednesday and of only those players who have played in at least half the number of games are: Daubert, Brooklyn, .357; Doyle, New York, .329; Merkle, New York, .328; Luderus, Philadelphia, .323; Collins, Pittsburgh, .317; Groh, Cincinnati, .319; Wake Killifer, Cincinnati, .314; Wilson, St. Louis, .308; J. Smith, Boston, .304; Saier, Chicago, .301. Robertson, New York, has retained the leadership in stolen bases with 17, but Saier still holds the lead in total bases with 143 and in runs scored with 45. Cravath who is in 11th place with .290, leads in home runs with 12. St. Louis, New York and Chicago are tied for the lead in team batting at .277.

Leading pitchers, counting only those who have attained an average of .667 in 15 or more games are: Pierce, Chicago, won 9 and lost 1; Alexander, Philadelphia, 15 and 3; Mamaux, Pittsburgh, 11 and 4; Meadows, St. Louis, 8 and 3.

Ty Cobb, Detroit, once more has established a .400 class in the big leagues. Today's averages show him leading the batters of the American league with .404, setting the pace for base stealers at 51 thefts and in runs scored with 79. Crawford, his team-mate, shares second place with Jackson, Cleveland, at .333; but Crawford leads in total bases at 146. Fournier, Chicago, is fourth with .332. Then come E. Collins, Chicago, .325; Veach, Detroit, .319; Lajoie, Philadelphia, .318; Janvrin, Boston, .318; Speaker, Boston, .315; Strunk, Philadelphia, .311. Three New Yorkers—Boone, Caldwell and Peckinpaugh—are tied with Oldring, Philadelphia, for home runs with four each. Chicago leads in club batting with 267 and Detroit is next with 264.

Leading pitchers are: Faber, Chicago, won 15 and lost 4; Scott, Chicago, 11 and 3; Foster, Boston, 3 and 4; Dauss, Detroit, 12 and 6; Fisher, New York, 10 and 5.



A REMARKABLE FEAT

FRANK MURPHY, LOCAL SWIMMER, SWIMS RAPIDS AT HUNTS FALLS

Frank Murphy, the local swimmer, performed a remarkable feat today when he succeeded in swimming the rapids at Hunts falls. Murphy, who on many previous occasions swam from Lowell to Lawrence, after getting out at the falls announced yesterday that he would attempt to battle through the rapids and tehreby set up a record. Many local men who were a bit skeptical about the task assembled along the river this morning and to their surprise saw the local lad plough through the strong current and continue down the river to Stanley's dance hall.

Murphy went into the water at the Central bridge at 9.07 and started off slowly. As he pulled out of sight he set up a faster pace and continued to increase his speed, passing by McManmon's at 9.35. He went by Belle Grove at 9.45 and reached the finishing point, Stanley's at just 10.15. The time was kept by Mr. Currier of Lawrence, while John W. Daly, followed Murphy from Centralville bridge to the falls, where he saw him break the record by going through the rapids.

Louis Plouff of Lowell acted as trainer for Murphy

DIAMOND DAZZLES

There was more real baseball in yesterday's game than Lowell fans have seen for weeks.

When Kelchner made a big hit with the opposing fans of Lawrence it's the best bet that he'll go big with the fans of the home city.

The new manager certainly "pulled" that victory from the coachlines.

Kelchner is going to make them run bases even if they get caught doing it. And why not? It's the life of the game.

Judgment must be suspended on Fahey once more for he played yesterday like a big leaguer.

Jay Martin, the new man, played right field, and what little he had to do he did well. He was there with one single.

If Stimp was only back we'd be in clover.

A deal was talked of between Lowell and Worcester swapping Barrows for Pownall, but it appears to have been only talk. Cuke doesn't care to leave Lowell, while Pownall is satisfied to remain with Jesse. Pownall headed for Lowell in the beginning, but en route he took a peek at the league standing and finding Lowell in the cellar got a transfer from the conductor and went to Worcester. He may yet be sorry, although one cannot blame a player for being shy about tying up with tail-enders.

The employment of Kelchner as manager of Lowell will have a tendency to make the players in all the teams put forth their best efforts when playing Lowell for the fact remains that Kelchner is also a scout for a big league team and all of the boys have the utmost respect for scouts.

The beauty of Estes' work at first base is enhanced by comparison with the punk work seen earlier in the season.

Old Zeke was right there on the mound and at the bat. He had lots of speed and a nice assortment of the "stuff" that fools the batters.

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GAMES MONDAY

New England League
Lewiston at Lowell.
Worcester at Lawrence.
Fitchburg at Lynn (2.)
Portland at Manchester.

American League
Boston at Detroit.
New York at Cleveland.
Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

National League
St. Louis at Boston.
Cincinnati at New York.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Brooklyn.

Federal League
(Sunday)
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New England League
Lowell, 4; Lawrence, 3.
Lynn, 4; Lewiston 4 (14 innings, called darkness.)
Portland, 5; Fitchburg, 1.
Worcester, 2; Manchester, 1.

National League
Boston, 4; St. Louis, 3 (10 innings.)
Brooklyn, 8; Chicago, 7 (10 innings.)
New York, 6; Cincinnati, 3 (first game.)
New York, 4; Cincinnati, 3 (second game.)
Philadelphia, 2; Pittsburgh, 1.

American League
Detroit, 15; Boston, 4.
Chicago, 5; Washington, 1.
Cleveland, 4; New York, 3.
Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 1.

Federal League
Pittsburgh, 4; St. Louis, 2 (first game.)
St. Louis, 5; Pittsburgh, 0 (second game.)
Buffalo, 8; Brooklyn, 2 (first game.)
Buffalo, 9; Brooklyn, 1 (second game.)

LEAGUE STANDINGS

N. E. League	Won	Lost	1915 P. C.	1914 P. C.
Lawrence	37	19	.661	.603
Portland	33	20	.623	.554
Worcester	32	24	.571	.625
Manchester	28	30	.483	....
Lynn	25	30	.455	.509
Lewiston	23	30	.434	.456
Fitchburg	23	31	.404	.295
Lowell	20	34	.370	.508

National League			1915	1914
Chicago	40	30	.571	.541
Philadelphia	37	31	.544	.485
St. Louis	38	36	.514	.520
Pittsburgh	36	35	.500	.464
Brooklyn	35	35	.500	.471
New York	31	35	.470	.594
Cincinnati	30	36	.455	.493
Boston	31	39	.413	.429

American League	Won	Lost	1915 P. C.	1914 P. C.
Chicago	48	26	.649	.551
Boston	43	25	.632	.506
Detroit	45	28	.616	.557
New York	36	37	.493	.371
Washington	32	37	.464	.533
Philadelphia	28	44	.350	.587
Cleveland	26	43	.377	.342
St. Louis	26	44	.371	.532

Federal League			1915	1914
St. Louis	42	30	.583	.419
Kansas City	43	31	.581	.453
Chicago	42	31	.575	.606
Pittsburgh	40	32	.556	.126
Newark	39	35	.527	*.551
Brooklyn	31	44	.413	.500
Buffalo	31	46	.403	.537
Baltimore	27	46	.370	.507

*—Indianapolis last year.

OUTINGS HELD TODAY

Chelmsford Centre People Went to Bass Point This Afternoon—Dracut Church at Mountain Rock

Today is an off day for outings as compared with last Saturday when a number of parish and society outings were held.

One special car in charge of Conductor Erickson and Motorman Lussiers left the square shortly after 8 o'clock for Bass Point. The car was loaded with residents of Chelmsford Centre, and they had a great time disporting in the briny shortly after the arrival. A shore dinner was served at noon and in the afternoon a program of sports was run off and the attractions along the beach were enjoyed.

Mountain Rock was the objective point of several hundred members of the Dracut Congregational church today, the members making the trip to the grove in special cars. During the morning a program of sports was run off and at noon a dinner was served.

Local Representative Wanted

To sell direct to consumer a new and profitable line of Westfield Endorsed Pure Foods, also a line of Household Utilities. We require a representative of proven selling ability in every town. Write for details and an appointment for a personal interview. THE ALDEN SPEARE'S SONS CO., 150 6th St., Cambridge "C", Boston, Mass.

KELCHNER MADE DEBUT

New Manager Pulled a Victory for Lowell from the Coach Line —Fast Game at Lawrence

"Who's that Hughie Jennings guy on the third base lines?" yelled a Lawrence fan when a little gray-haired man in a Lowell uniform started to cut up like a colt, while the players responded by playing ball like winners and pulling a victory out of the hole by a Garrison finish in the closing inning.

The Hughie Jennings guy was Manager Kelchner, who was making his debut and the debut certainly was auspicious for it was Kelchner who won the game successfully aided and abetted by the members of the Lowell team. Kelchner played as hard as any of the boys although he never went to the bat and he inspired the team with courage and determination at a time when they needed it. He pulled hard for a win and got it.

Manager Kelchner was on the coaching lines in every inning and was there with the goods. He supplied a long-felt want in Lowell's make-up in that respect. Some of the fans thought he showed poor judgment in sending two of the runners home from second on hits to a short left field but he assumed that he had fast men and was right in his judgment even if the players were caught at the play.

It was a fine game to look at and the nature of its finish made it all the more satisfactory to the Lowell fans, of whom some 200 went down and took a chance with a big thunder shower on the return trip. It was Ladies' day and the fair sex turned out in large numbers. It would have been a most disappointing day for them had it not been for Manager Kelchner's cut-ups on the coach lines which gave them plenty of amusement for the wind-up took away all the pleasure of the day for them.

The game furnished a few surprises. Howard Fahey, for instance, came across with big league stuff after being generally knocked as too slow for the initial bag. Things came Howard's way in sizzling bunches and he met them with a major. He knocked down a grounder back of third base which while he couldn't head off the runner was a magnificent fielding stunt. On first base, too, Estes was there with the real goods and his one-hand knock-out of what would have been a two-sacker was one of the best fielding stunts that the Lawrence fans have laid eyes on this season.

Zeke Lohman on the mound for Lowell, came across with lightning-like speed and something on the ball, most of the time while at the bat he made himself known. Zeke was in fine form. The game was sharply played and fast and seven innings had been covered in an hour. There was nothing doing in the run-getting line until the fifth when Cuke Barrows lifted the ball over the centre field fence for a homer. For a moment that one run looked awfully big on the score board, but only for a moment, for the home team came in for the sixth and made it appear quite small by walloping out three runs. Of course Bill Luyster started it all with a pretty single. Then O'Connell hunted along the first base line and both Lohman and Estes chased for the ball while Bennie Bowcock was making a bet with himself as to who would get it totally unmindful of the fact that his services were required at the first stopping place. When O'Connell reached first there was no one there to receive either him or the ball and hence there were two on base. Along comes Mahoney with a stingy little hunt in front of the plate and Lohman in his anxiety to get it, let it drop out, but recovered it and threw, but Mahoney was there ahead of the ball and the bases were crowded. Bing goes Jake Warner's bat against the pill and the latter hikes to centre field for a single and two runs scored.

Thompson bunted to Fahey for a sacrifice and there were men on second and third and only one out. Then Zeke tightened up and Ostregren and Flaherty sent grounders to Fahey which Howard despatched to first and the inning was over.

It then went along with Lowell failing to boost that lone tally on the score board and when they came in for the first of the ninth a few who didn't realize that the game is never over until the ground-keeper takes in the bags, started to leave. Swayne hit the right for a clean single. Fahey hit to Mahoney who kindly put the boots to the unoffending sphere, and Howard got first. Estes bunted to Conley and got there ahead of the throw and we had three on the bases, all that they would conveniently hold. Bowcock accommodatingly flied to Thompson and Swayne scored, and we needed only one run to tie. Barrows was there with a single to centre and Fahey came in with the tieing run. Shorty Dee, not to be outdone, sent the ball to right centre for two bases and Estes came across with what proved to be the winning run. Lawrence couldn't come back in the final session notwithstanding the fact that Pearson went to bat.

The score:

LOWELL

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Swayne lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Fahey 3b	4	1	0	1	6	0
Estes 1b	4	1	1	15	0	0
Bowcock 2b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Barrows cf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Dee ss	4	0	1	4	5	0
Ahearn c	3	0	1	3	1	0
Martin rf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Lohman p	3	0	2	0	2	0
Totals	32	4	9	27	16	1

LAWRENCE

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Luyster rf	3	1	2	2	1	0
O'Connell cf	4	2	2	3	0	0
Mahoney 3b	3	0	0	3	3	2
Warner 2b	3	0	2	2	3	0
Thompson lf	3	0	0	1	2	0
Ostergren 1b	3	0	0	11	0	0
Flaherty c	3	0	0	5	1	0
Conley 3b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Barron p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Pearson x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	3	6	27	14	2

x—Batted for Conley in the 9th.

Lowell 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 3—4
Lawrence 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 0—3

Two base hit, O'Connell. Home run, Barrows. Stolen base, O'Connell. Sacrifice hits, Martin, Ahearn, Bowcock, Mahoney, Thompson, Warner. Double play, Dee and Estes. Left on bases, Lowell 4, Lawrence 5. First base on errors, Lowell 2, Lawrence 1. Bases on balls, off Lohman 2. Hit by pitcher, Ostergren. Struck out, by Lohman 3. Umpire, Keeler. Time, 1.25.

CUT BY BIG SAW

Man Had Narrow Escape From Death in Lumber Mill

B. Frunka, an employe of William P. Proctor & Co., lumber manufacturers, sustained a deep wound across the back as a result of running against a cutting off saw at the North Chelmsford plant about 9.30 o'clock this morning. The saw inflicted a diagonal cut across the man's back just above the hips, but fortunately did not touch the backbone, and the injured man had a fortunate escape from fatal injury. Dr. H. C. Gage was called and after examining the man, ordered him taken to the Corporation hospital for treatment. He was taken from the plant to the hospital in the ambulance. Frunka is 20 years of age and has been employed at the plant for two years.

LAWRENCE AIDS LOWELL

DOWN RIVER CITY PROVIDES FOR OUR TUBERCULOSIS PATIENTS UNDER AGREEMENT

Pending the erection of a contagious hospital in this city, and the present city government doesn't seem to be making very much progress towards the erection of one, Lowell tubercular patients will be cared for in Lawrence. Alderman Maloney, director of the department of health and charities in Lawrence, has entered into an arrangement with the Lowell authorities to care for any Lowell patients ordered to the Lawrence hospital. Two Lowell patients have already entered the Lawrence sanatorium.

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BOSTON'S FIRE PERILS

The earnestness and intelligence which Boston is displaying in the correction of its fire perils and insanitary abuses are arousing the attention and admiration of all New England. A code of building and fire laws adopted a little over a year ago has been enforced consistently by the commissioners, and the Boston public realizes that such laws must be respected to the letter. As no subject is of more pertinent interest to all communities at the present time than the elimination of fire perils and the curtailment of unsanitary conditions, Boston's example is an eloquent object lesson to Lowell and neighboring cities.

During the past year about 700 buildings in the city of Boston have been razed or rebuilt. Their construction or their degree of deterioration made them a fire menace and unfit for human habitation, and the city would not tolerate the risk Many of them have been large tenement properties which brought heavy rentals to their owners, but after a thorough inspection and investigation by the proper authorities, a conference was held with the owners and residents and the buildings were ordered demolished. This is a remarkable record of achievement, but it is still more remarkable that it has been done with a minimum of friction. In practically all instances, the firm insistence of the city has been followed by the unhesitating compliance of the owner. As a result, Boston is a far safer city than it was a year ago.

The indirect influence of such a campaign as this is even greater than that directly achieved. To be sure there are 700 less dangerous buildings, but the good does not stop there. Without doubt many property owners, seeing that the city authorities were in earnest, have voluntarily done what the law could compel, and thus automatically reform has widened and increased. Those who contemplated new buildings during this period must also have been impressed with the necessity for making them conform to the standard, and in many ways Boston has been benefited.

Owing to the type of our population and the deterioration of great tenement buildings that were erected for revenue only, we too have a great problem on our hands to make Lowell a safer and a healthier city. It is doubtful if we could enforce the laws as rigorously as Boston, in proportion, but if the fire menace is to be checked effectually, the city will have to demand prompt and full compliance with its regulations. Our building department also has shown unusual zeal in demanding a correction of abuses, and the city as a whole will back up activity of this nature. The condition of property is no longer regarded as a private matter for which the owner or resident is responsible to himself only. There is an attempt in some large cities to hold property owners responsible for fires which start in buildings not up to the standard and spread to neighboring buildings, and everywhere is the spirit which is so well exemplified in Boston.

ORNAMENTAL LIGHTS

The refreshing and versatile George Fitch has something to say of "ornamental lights" which ought to interest Lowell, one of the most recent additions to the list of white way cities. Here are a few of the Fitch sentences:

Ornamental lights form a good way of feeling the pulse of an American town. If a town has large quantities of cluster lights on its business streets, its pulse is strong and healthy and it has a Commercial club which would as soon grab a factory away from some other town as eat a piece of pie.

If, however, a town is filled with dark canyons at night, with overworked electric lights trying to excavate holes in the blackness at the street corners, it is usually in a comatose condition, and the secretary of the Commercial club is working overtime to collect enough dues to pay his salary.

If, as he says, the ornamental lights form a good way of feeling the pulse of an American town, this town is in pretty fair condition, but lights alone without the proper civic spirit will avail little. They indicate progress only insofar as they reflect the desire of a municipality to have the best of everything that is going, irrespective of cost or the sacrifices necessary in the process.

We have the lights and we have the thriving "commercial club," but we do not get all the factories that are our due, no matter how vehement our desire may be to win out over other communities. Probably we shall do better if we advertise our advantages a little more, and so make Lowell look attractive to prospective manufacturers and residents. In spite of very unenviable management of our public affairs and a lack of the proper cooperation between all concerned, Lowell has really made some strides forward, and we have many advantages to offer those who may be looking this way, some of which nullify, if they do not entirely hide, the obvious disadvantages.

At the present time ornamental lights are all the vogue. Most of the great cities have white ways and those which have not are agitating them. In a little while there will be an agitation for something else, and another wave of municipal reform will sweep over the city. Whether we will keep in the forefront will depend in great measure on the result of the ornamental lighting system. If it proves an advantage, worth what we have paid for it and up to its appearance, we will be as ready for the next municipal improvement as any other progressive city in the country.

BIRD DECLINES

In a letter to the chairman of his party, Charles Sumner Bird has definitely stated that he will not be a candidate for governor, and a crop of wild rumors has been laid at rest. A considerable following in his own party and many of the republican opportunists saw a good opportunity for plausible amalgamation under the Bird banner, but the lure of the siren was not sufficient to bring the erstwhile leader out of his shady retreat. In the letter of declination, Mr. Bird does not give any indication of his personal wishes, and he makes no reference whatever to the party which honored him with two nominations. It is, therefore probable that the progressive who is wavering in his faith in the Bull Moose will not find a steadying influence in the word or example of Mr. Bird. Many sincere progressives will certainly regret the decision of their popular standard-bearer, for the personal popularity of Mr. Bird has never been questioned. He has the loyalty of his own party to a man and the respect of all parties. Few men in the public gaze in this state at the present time could claim a more hearty call than that accorded the progressive champion, and his refusal to be exploited this time will precipitate many perplexing questions.

Mr. Bird may not follow the example of Matthew Hale in declaring for the democratic party as a choice between the two old parties, but he cannot well throw in his lot with the republicans. Since Mr. Bird expounded so warmly and sincerely against standpatism, there has been no change in the personnel or policies of the republican party in this state, and the same conditions exist against which Mr. Bird led the progressive forces. Probably the retiring leader will still hold true to the principles he preached and practiced, but if he should desire to return to one of the old parties, his logical place is with the democratic party which has striven openly and honestly to fulfill every pledge for progress made to the American public.

ROADS AND SPEED

An autoist who was brought before the court at Nahant a few days ago for speeding made a rather novel plea which is not without its lesson. The gentleman hailed from Virginia where the roads are pretty poor, and he was so elated at the sensation of spinning along over the smooth and well-kept roads of Massachusetts that the exhilaration drove him to excess and so into the police court. He very graciously declared that the Bay State roads formed for him a temptation to speed too strong to be resisted and cheerfully paid a $5 fine. Judge Southwick apparently felt that his appreciation of Massachusetts roads should be shown in a less demonstrative manner, nevertheless the compliment is rather flattering.

Our Virginia visitor was right in affording the palm to Massachusetts roads. In a great road conference held in the west a few months ago, Col. Sohier of the state highway commission made the boast that our roads lead the country, and with the systematic improvements going on consistently, we shall make great strides forward in the near future. The state is unusually busy with the roads of this vicinity alone, but the same is true of all sections. It has been so conclusively proved that good roads are essential to the development of a section that now all interests agitate them. Farmers, tourists, property owners, real estate dealers all unite in demanding that this state set a new road standard for the entire country.

What is true of the state is true of the city. A city lighting notable more immediately impresses the visitor than the condition of the streets and highways. The Sun has for the past few years advocated many road reforms, and it is gratifying to see that most of them are now in a fair way of adoption. The raising of the Rogers street approach, the improvement of the Billerica road and the probable construction of a new link down the river next season are a few of the road improvements needed to bear out the claim of the speeder from Virginia in this vicinity. While we do not care to incite speed, better that our roads would so affect the visitor than that he should be sunk in mental and physical depressions.

RUSSIAN CAMPAIGN

While the Russian armies are intact, Russia is not suffering a decisive defeat, and the supposed triumph of Germany may at any moment be turned into a costly failure. When Von Hindenburg in the early stages of the war drove the Russian troops into the marches of Lithuania, Berlin spoke of a decisive defeat of Russia, but the troops of the czar soon reorganized and fought two similar campaigns. It now looks as though the third German attempt on Warsaw will fail, and with increased ammunition, Russia may turn on its enemy and force a counter retreat with heavy losses to Von Mackensen's armies. Experts say that Germany is striving to break the Russian army in two, so as to annihilate one division, but the Russians seem to be successfully resisting. When Germany goes so far into Russian territory that her strategic railways are behind, a Russian retreat may easily prove a trap. It does not look now that Germany will take Warsaw or will be able to withdraw many troops for service in France and Belgium, as she had intended.

THE GREAT RAIN

The popular memory which is generally relied on for weather reminiscences cannot recall a July in this section of the country that saw more rain than we have had since July 1. In five days, eight inches of rain have fallen here and the Merrimack river is almost up to its spring proportions. This condition is true of almost the entire Merrimack valley, where the conditions have been unprecedented. Still there has not been too much rain, though it played havoc with the summer resorts and automatically stopped some vacations. May and June were dry months and vegetation had suffered severely. It looked as though nature has regretted her parsimony and resolved to give us the belated spring rains in ten-fold measure. The steady downpour, day and night, has worked wonders for vegetation and its effects can be noted in the emerald of the lawns and the fresh verdure of shrub and tree. The beneficial effect of the great July rains will be seen still more in the greater glory of the autumn.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

COMING PENSIONS

The Canadian government is already paying pensions to widows and children of dead soldiers. Another of the huge burdens the fighting nations must assume if they are to be in any degree fair to the men who are doing the fighting and the dying.—Brockton Enterprise.

A LONE CRANK

The London Standard sees in the attempted assassination of J. P. Morgan a prima facie case of a blackhand German conspiracy to which the German embassy at Washington was directly or indirectly privy. The Standard's vision is slightly distorted if it discerns in this particular instance any evidence to support such a theory. It is apparent that this was an unmistakable case of "bugs"—the irrational act of a crank who took no one into his confidence and who was without confederates nor inspired or instigated by others to commit his crazy deeds.—Fall River Globe.

NOW 'TIS AUGUST

Gen. Joffre is now quoted as saying that there will be a forceful advance of the allies against the German lines in August. It looks is if Joffre is figuring on giving Kitchener ample time to finish up with the great spring drive, which was to have begun in May. -Springfield Union.

OPTIMISTIC

Instead of lists of casualties, especially the heavy losses on the other side, we have today reached the point where Germany is trying to find a proposition to present to the United States that can become the basis for agreement, for mutual good offices, for continued peace and good will between these two of the three greatest industrial and commercial nations.—Lewiston Sun.

DIFFERENT BRANDS

The fact that automobiles killed and wounded more people in and about New York on July 4 than pistols and firecrackers did, leads the New York Tribune to conclude "we are certainly getting more civilized." Unfortunately there are different brands of civilization.—Burlington Free Press.

PASSENGERS FRIGHTENED

Miss Mulcahy Taken to Hospital After Short Circuit on Elevated Train at Beach Street Station

BOSTON, July 10.—As a four-car elevated train bound for Sullivan square was leaving the Beach street station at 10.10 last night, there was a short circuit on the second car. The flash alarmed the passengers, of whom there were about 25. More frightened than the others was Mary Mulcahey of 375 Revere street, Winthrop, who was removed to the Relief Hospital.

The train was brought back to Beach street, the passengers discharged and the train proceeded to the Sullivan square terminal. There was a delay of 10 minutes to traffic. Miss Mulcahey was found to be suffering from hysteria at the Relief Hospital.

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WHAT HORTENSE TOLD ME

The prevailing state of mind, or character of thought, shapes the body and features. It makes us ugly or pleasant, or attractive or repulsive to others. Our thoughts shape our gestures, our mannerisms, our walk. The least movement of muscle has a mood of mind, a thought behind it. A mind, always determined, always has a determined walk.

A mind always weak, shifting, vacillating and uncertain makes a shuffling, shambling, uncertain gait. The spirit of determination braces every muscle. If you send from you in thought the elements of worry, fret, hatred, or grief, you are putting in action forces injurious to your mind and body. Look at the discontented, gloomy man or woman, and you see in their faces proof of the action of this silent force of their unpleasant thought, cutting, carving and shaping them to their present expression.

Most of us are aware of how invaluable pumice stone is for removing stains from the fingers, which stains, of course, make impossible beautiful hands, says Hortense. Wet both hands and the pumice stone thoroughly, and then rub gently until the stain has disappeared. For taking off the little black line that comes on the edges of your nails, it is equally useful if used as a file.

If the skin is rough and irritated by heat, try the oatmeal bath. Make a number of cheesecloth bags, four inches square, and fill them loosely with the following mixture: Five pounds of oatmeal, one pound of Florentine orris root powdered, one pound of almond meal, half a pound of castile soap scraped fine. This makes a large quantity but is cheapest when made in these proportions. One of these bags thrown into the warm plunge bath is most comforting and makes the skin soft and white.

Every woman likes to have a dainty, elusive perfume on one's hair, says Hortense. Shaking it into the hair is all right, but the best way is to make a close fitting cap lined with the sachet you like best. The cap should be lined with a thin silk, between which is sprinkled a liberal quantity of sachet.

The cap may be of any thin silk and is shaped like a close fitting Dutch cap with short ties. A flat bow, at the ends doubled under and scented with sachet and finished with a double bow, gives a nice appearance.

It is impossible to arrange the hair attractively if it is dry and split on the ends. There is no reason for this dry hair if you will practice the following treatment: Several times a week rub on your scalp a little castor oil. If you wish to make the odor of the oil more pleasant, have the druggist add oil of lavender to it. Do not fail to massage the scalp and brush the hair daily, if you wish to restore it to a healthy condition.

To improve the texture and color of the skin of the arms, says Hortense, give them a bath every day in water and pure mild soap. You can do this when you wash your face or take your bath in the morning, or later, just as you prefer. Use a complexion brush for the purpose, scrubbing them well and then rinsing thoroughly. If the skin is that ugly red shade one sometimes sees in young girls or in women whose complexions are rather florid, a lemon and glycerine bleach should be used. Rub a little glycerine over the skin and then rub over it immediately a cut lemon.

For whitening the hands there is nothing better than almond meal or oatmeal. Reduce either one to a fine powder, put it in a little white muslin bag and rub the bag over the hands while they are wet. Or the meal can be used dry and dusted over the hands after they have been dried.

Hortense holds that the daily use of rouge is apt eventually to make the skin look sallow. Girls of 19 or 20 should not require rouge, and it is best to use it only in the evening. At all times great care should be exercised to apply it carefully. Blend the edges and carry it well back to the ears, then a slight touch on the tip of the chin and if this makes the lips look pale tint the lips also. Take a pointed stick, cover the end with absorbent cotton, dip in the rouge and touch the lips very carefully, avoiding going beyond the natural line of red.

Don't strive to cover up blemishes with paint and powder, but take good care of your general health, your teeth and hair. Have your face treated by an expert weekly and you can keep the skin soft, clear and unlined for many years.

It is not well to bathe the face in very cold water when you are overheated, says Hortense. Water just from the faucet with a little good toilet water or alcohol is better. Always remove all powder before retiring and give the pores a chance to breathe, then powder, if it is a good brand, will not injure the skin.

Women who carry the head correctly avoid the ugly, sagging, stringy pouch and will not acquire a double chin unless they become very stout. Always hold the chin well up when walking, reading or sewing; never drop the chin on the chest. A daily cold chin bath will also help to keep it firm.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

Mr. Gunther's House in Dracut Struck By Bolt But Not Seriously Damaged

The home of Chief Frank H. Gunther of the Dracut fire department located in Shaden street was struck by a bolt of lightning late yesterday afternoon, but unfortunately none of the occupants of the house was injured.

The bolt entered a room occupied as an office and tore considerable plaster off the wall, while things in the apartment were scattered all over the floor. Several telephone and fire alarm wires were put out of commission by the storm.

ST. COLUMBA'S PARISH

Baby Show Will Be Feature of Garden Party Next Wednesday Afternoon

A baby show will be the feature of the Wednesday afternoon program of St. Columba's parish garden party and already a large number of mothers have signified their intentions of entering their little ones. The winners will be awarded suitable prizes and there is great rivalry to see who will take the money. The baby show is only one of a great many attractions which will provide amusement for all who attend.

The party will continue on Wednesday evening and Thursday afternoon and evening with special attractions at each session. There will be the usual midway with all the "greatest earth" novelties and indications point to a record attendance on both days. The affair is in charge of a capable committee and all members are working zealously for its success.

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SUN REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

APPLETON STOREHOUSE

Ground Broken on Jackson Street For Ten Story Structure—Other Operations

Judging from the noticeable drop in the number of permits issued at city hall the week of the holidays was a comparatively quiet one in building circles. Several new dwellings are being constructed and there are many enlarging, remodelling and repairing jobs in progress at the present time.

Among the most important of all the building operations in the city at present is the construction of the new 10-story warehouse of the Appleton Manufacturing company. A large force of men has been constantly at work clearing and breaking the ground in Jackson street where the new structure will be situated. The warehouse when completed will be an imposing affair, besides being in every way up to date and equipped with the latest apparatus. It will have a large ell on the side and rear. Elevators will be installed and the shafts fireproofed. The entire building, it is stated, will be absolutely fireproof.

On the property at 181 Chelmsford street, owned by the heirs of E. Sheldon and leased by John T. Brennan, a storage shed will be constructed. The material will be wood, and the cost of building is placed at $75.

George Haithwaite is building a new residence at 37 Georgia avenue. Mr. Haithwaite's new house will have eight rooms, pantry and bath. The building will be of wood with a stone foundation and will be heated by steam. Its measurements are to be 28½ feet by 29 feet, and it will have an ell 18½ by 6. The house will cost in the vicinity of $2500.

A new garage of concrete block and concrete foundation is to be built for Adele Begin at 114 Ford street. It will be 20 by 30 feet, fireproof, and will cost $200.

Joseph Gargan has received a permit from the city authorities to have constructed a foundation for a dwelling 19 by 29 feet. The foundation will be of stone and will cost approximately $100, according to the estimate.

Melvina A. Roby will erect a new dwelling of one apartment at 374 Pine street. This new house will have seven rooms, pantry, bath, sewing room and a spacious sleeping porch. It will be 32 by 29 feet, will be heated by steam apparatus and the cost is estimated at $2500.

The doors in the First Free Baptist church in Paige street will be replaced by new ones and a permit for this work has been received from the building department at city hall. The new doors will be of the swinging variety, having panelled sides and plate glass fronts. They will be erected at a cost of $100.

Mrs. Thomas Stott of 209 Nesmith street is having her garage enlarged by an addition. The floor will be lowered a considerable distance and constructed of concrete. The addition will adjoin the front of the present structure.

The one-apartment dwelling at 652 School street, the property of Anna Tucke, will be enlarged into a two-tenement house. Additions and interior and exterior alterations will be made on the property. The addition will adjoin the side and rear of the present property and a two-story piazza will be erected. On the interior new fixtures in baths and toilets will be installed, partitions removed and other repairs made. The expense is estimated at $450.

PREVENTABLE FIRE WASTE

When you are building your home, build to avoid fire risks. See how your flues are actually built. A vitrified tile flue lining from the basement through the roof will make trouble from defective flues less probable. A flue lining has its advantages, for a brick chimney with a tile lining does not require as much space as a solid brick chimney wall. With the best laid brick work, a settlement of the wall is likely to open a crack in the brick work and expose surrounding work. It has been estimated that 13 per cent. of the total number of fires in this country are attributed to defective flues. No timber work of a house should come within an inch of the flue proper. All floors and walls should be framed around the chimney with at least an inch of space between. A brick arch should be turned under the hearth of a fireplace, so that no wood shall come within 20 inches of an open fire.

If a frame house is built, as is often the case so that the studding is open from the basement wall to the plate at the roof, each section of studding forms a flue which would be likely to "draw" in case a fire should start under it. Fire "stops" at each floor make a good construction, and prevent rats and mice from having a free run in the walls, as well.

Electric wiring is supposed to be the cause of innumerable fires. When live wires have only their own insulation between them and combustible material, a short circuit or a flash of lightning is likely to make trouble. All electric wiring should be placed in non-conducting tubes and if properly done will not be the cause of fire.

Is there a bunch of shavings, old papers, dried grass or leaves, piled up against your barn where a tramp might happen to throw a match after he had lighted his pipe? If you leave it there, do not blame the tramp when the barn burns.

Your property is fully insured against fire and perhaps you do not fear any loss from that cause. How much premium do you pay annually? The amount is a tax which the fire fiend collects from you to pay for your neighbor's carelessness and to replace the vast actual waste each year from the material and the labor goes up in smoke.

The most appalling thing about it is that much of this waste is preventable, and yet continues from year to year.—Keith's Magazine.

A FIREPLACE NOOK

There is architectural value in the fireplace nook. It possesses many attractive features and offers many comforts. It is an alluring invitation to all who enter the room.

Recently it was suggested that a more inviting and home-like appearance could be imparted to a room by building a nook with furniture, evidence that already the home lover feels the need of this semi-private retreat.

It carries with it a suggestion of intimate companionship that can be imparted to a room in no other way. It is an attraction that may be added to city, suburban or country home at very low cost and is one that pays.

Scene: A cold winter evening, a comfortable chair, a subdued light, a good story, a good cigar, perhaps a cigaret or box of chocolates.

A living room provided with a well designed fireplace nook is half furnished. Viewed from that angle it would prove an economy rather than an expense. It provides seats, lounge, davenport, bookcases, catch-alls, wood boxes and other conveniences, and best of all, it gives all who enter the room a sense of satisfaction in having found one place that is all the heart can desire.

TO AVOID DINGY STUCCO

Critical examination shows that stucco is a more or less porous material which, in smoky atmospheres sometimes absorbs the soot-laden water with which it is brought into contact. During a rainy season considerable soot is carried into the pores and the color of the stucco becomes perceptibly darker. It has been found that this pore-filling process only lasts two or three years, however, at the end of which time the pores of the stucco were completely filled or clogged with the soot.

The natural action thus observed suggests a method for overcoming this difficulty. Fill the pores with a white or colorless waterproof substance before the natural process has had time in which to fill them with soot and dirt.

There are two ways by which this result may be accomplished. At the time the stucco is being mixed a small quantity of a reliable integral waterproofing should be added to the water used in the process of mixing. Only a small quantity need be used and the cost should not exceed 1½ cents per square foot, or about $35 for an ordinary eight-room residence. The integral paste or powder is carried into the pores and it is found that the stucco so treated is permanently waterproof and stainproof.

The second method is used to waterproof and stainproof after the completion of the building. It sometimes happens that the builder does not learn of the integral method until it is too late to use it, and in this case a colorless waterproofing method supplies the omission. It is a wonderfully simple process, inexpensive and practically as efficient as the integral method. The surface may be brushed with two coats of a colorless waterproofing, the liquid enters the pores and there deposits a clear, colorless, water-resistant substance which effectively protects it from rain and smoke.—Keith's Magazine.

THE TEA COSEY

The tea cosey is as essential to English housekeeping as the tea pot, and is often extremely ornamental, of handsome brocade heavily embroidered in silk. Sometimes the cosey is plainly covered with silk or satin and is fitted with a detachable cover of embroidered linen or lace, which can be removed when it becomes soiled.

With ourselves the tea habit is not so general, and the cosey is conspicuously absent, but it serves a useful purpose at the piazza supper. It may be of any of a number of shapes, the best being a half oval. Another sort is much like a bishop's mitre, being made of four sections curving to a point at the top, the seams defined with a cord. The cosey should be large enough to cover the tea pot easily, and be generously wadded, or else filled with down, and the lining should be of thin silk matching the outside.

In color it should either harmonize with the china, or be of the same general color as the dining room walls. A very serviceable cosey can be made of velveteen, olive, gray blue, or rose red, embroidered with a large initial, in crewels heavily padded.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending July 10

LOWELL

David A. McCarthy et al. to Christos Chopelas, land and buildings on Cross street.

Florence D. Marshall et al. to Charles W. Holmes, land on Varnum avenue.

H. Joseph Lambert et ux. to M. Elizabeth Whitney, land and buildings corner Cumberland road and Fisher street.

M. Elizabeth Whitney to John R. Peacock, land and buildings corner Cumberland road and Fisher street.

Maria E. Smith et al. to Maria C. Harrigan, land on Foster street.

Charles I. Hood et ux. to Ellen T. Donehue, land on Frothingham street.

Dennis E. Connors et al. to City Iron Foundry, land on Montreal and Plain streets.

Mary Riordan to Moise Soulnier et ux., land and buildings on Woodward avenue.

Arthur W. Huguley et ux. to Edwin P. Littlehale, land corner Middlesex street and Putnam avenue.

Warren Land Trust Co., by trs. to Maria N. Grinnell, land at Lawn Hill.

Joseph Gregoire to Catherine L. Gregoire, land and buildings on Moody street.

Catherine L. Gregoire et al., to Arvila Sawyer, land and buildings on Moody street.

William H. Fagan et ux. to James M. Fagan, land and buildings on Newhall street.

Margaret Flaherty to Frank Krojewski et ux., land corner West L and Fulton streets.

George D. Kimball to Maude A. Hosford, land on Dartmouth street.

Charles H. McEvoy, et ux. to Manuel J. Avila, land and buildings on Charles street.

Mary A. B. Murphy et al. to Henry J. O'Dowd, land and buildings on Methuen street.

Frank H. Miles et ux. to Ellen M. Peard, land corner Bridge and West Ninth streets.

Thomas Boyle to Martha H. Gilmore, land on Walnut street.

Jean B. Morin et ux. by mtgee. to Israel Levin, land corner Moody and Austin streets.

George M. Reed to William B. Moffatt, land on Daniels street.

Joseph Gregoire to Catherine L. Gregoire, land on Jefferson street.

Catherine L. Gregoire to Demitrios Anastasiw, land on Jefferson street.

BILLERICA

Edward J. Purcell et ux. to John S. Ash, land and buildings at Nuttings Lake Park Annex.

Herbert A. King et ux. to A. Warren Stearns, land and buildings on Andover road.

CARLISLE

Sidney A. Davis et ux. to George H. Baker, land on River road to Concord.

DRACUT

Fred C. Tobey Land Co., by tr., to Amy Serord, land at Collins Park.

George Sabam et al., by mtgee's exor., to William E. Newton, land and buildings at Kenwood.

Joseph Migneault to William B. Folsom, land on Percy street.

Charles J. Drendel est., by admx., to Paul R. Merrill, land and buildings on Swain street.

TEWKSBURY

Grace V. Nickerson to Sarah E. Shire, land on Bond and South streets and Lakeview avenue.

TYNGSBORO

Ella A. Matthews et al., to Fred A. Conura, land cor. Bryant's Lane and road to Dunstable.

WILMINGTON

Edward S. Eaton et ux. to Arminio Nicri, land on Pratt street.

Edward S. Eaton et ux. to Charles H. Burnett, land on Smith street.

Algernon Weymouth to Cyril E. Gosse, land on Shawsheen avenue.

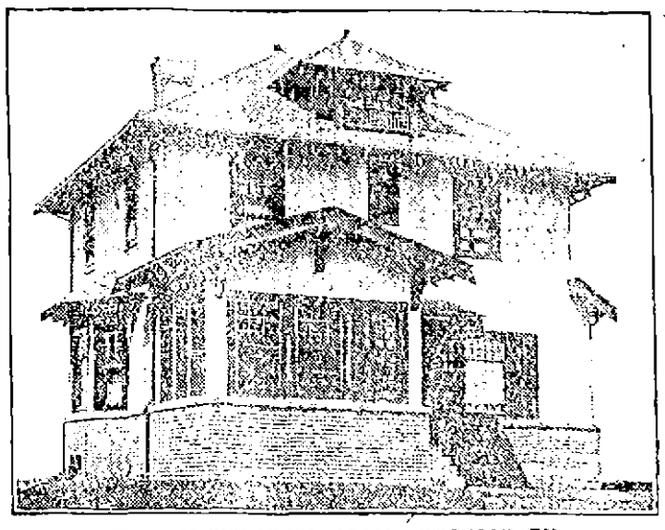
True H. Flies et ux., to Michael P. Geary, land at Oakland Park.

James E. Burke, tr., to Annie E. Waisner, land at Wilmington Gardens.

James E. Burke tr., to George Wilson, land at Wilmington Gardens.

James T. Maguire to Michael J. Gilligan, land on Main and Cottage streets and Grove avenue.

Brick Veneer and Rough Cast



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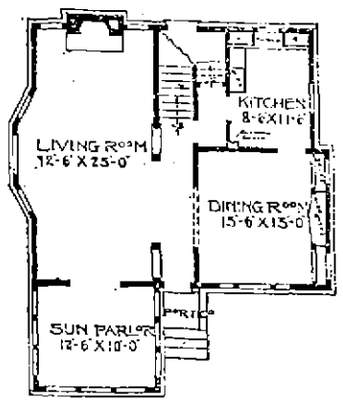

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JUST ESCAPE STRAY BULLET

H. H. Deslauriers and J. J. Morin Frightened in Ware—Missile Falls to Sidewalk Between Them

WARE, July 10.—H. H. Deslauriers and Joseph I. Morin were badly frightened yesterday noon while walking home to dinner on North street by a bullet which whizzed through the air and fell to the sidewalk between them.

The bullet probably came from a rifle, as it seemed to be too large for a revolver. Up to a late hour today the owner of the rifle had not been discovered.

FOR CHAMPION WILLARD

HIS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE CALLED AT SUN OFFICE—WILLARD WILL POSITIVELY COME

Melville B. Raymond, the personal representative of Jesse Willard, was in town yesterday looking after the interests of the champion who is positively to appear with Ranch 101 Wild West show July 16.

For the first time in the history of the "fight game" a champion will be seen with an enterprise that can be attended by people of all ages and classes, and at a price far below the sum asked in former days. Willard—the Cowboy Champion—will visit our city in conjunction with The 101 Ranch Wild West, and what could be more in keeping than his association with that unusual aggregation, for he was originally a cow boy, long before he even thought of the championship, he was "punching steers" on the western range. Willard is really not a "prize fighter," in the use of the term we once looked on a man of that calling. Only four years ago he concluded he was large enough and strong enough to whip "the black," and with that object in view, he began to train himself to handle the gloves. His first thought was to bring the championship back to the white race, the money he would be able to make by so doing, was really an afterthought. Big enough he certainly was, six feet, six inches tall, with a reach—arms extended, of practically 84 inches, and a physique that is pronounced perfect, he was a fit aspirant for the position he sought. Every one knows how well he succeeded, how in the 26th.—that he will reproduce in the Wild West, he defeated his opponent. Every one also knows how clean living and lack of dissipation was the real foundation of the young fellow's success. Perhaps nothing ever took place in America, so vividly taught the youths of this country, the advantage of "no dissipation."

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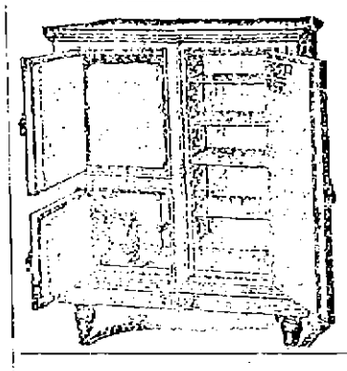

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FOR HIGH SCHOOL

Conference at City Hall Suggests High School Commission

A conference called for the purpose of considering the acquisition of land in Anne and Kirk streets for a new high school was held in the mayor's reception room at city hall yesterday afternoon, beginning at about 4.45 o'clock. Parties to the conference included the mayor, Commissioners Duncan and Putnam and Messrs. Lambert, Elliott, Leggat and Caisse. The proposition was either to purchase or otherwise acquire the land necessary for a new high school and Mr. Elliott, who is conversant with estate, particularly in the location in question, was delegated to see the property owners and ascertain the prices they set on their property. Another conference will be held Tuesday night and at that time Mr. Elliott will report the result of his conferences with the property owners.

All parties to the conference sanctioned the peaceful acquisition of the property if possible and if the property owners will agree to sell their properties for reasonable sums no seizure will be made. Mr. Elliott stated that he never knew of property either in Anne or Kirk streets selling as high as its assessed value. Mr. Duncan said that the assessed value is not necessarily the market value and gave as his opinion that if the property were seized and an appeal were taken to the court a jury would find that the assessed value is too high.

Mr. Elliott said he believed in offering a fair market price for the land. "I don't believe in having any dickering about it," he said, and his suggestion seemed to strike a popular chord. He said he would ask the property owners if they were willing to sell to the city for the prices which they gave him some time ago.

Dr. Lambert asked about the Knights of Columbus and Mayor Murphy suggested that their rooms might be used for class rooms. Dr. Lambert said it might work quite a hardship on the Knights of Columbus if they were obliged to vacate at once. Commissioner Putnam said it would be necessary to decide if they were going to be allowed to remain until fall. Commissioner Duncan thought all tenants should be given reasonable time to get out.

Dr. Lambert asked if the council had decided to make a start on a new high school this year and Mayor Murphy said the council had planned to do so. Mr. Duncan thought that an out-of-town architect should be employed, a perfectly disinterested party, and Dr. Lambert suggested a commission to look after the building of the school. Mr. Leggat was not very much in favor of a commission and remarked that Lowell had not obtained very good results from the two last commissions, namely the Huntington hall and Contagious hospital commissions. Dr. Lambert said that one good thing about a commission it would go through with a project as a continuous body. "We will not all be in office during the building of the school," he said.

Dr. Lambert said it would be up to the school committee to collect data for plans. "We will have to furnish some idea of what is wanted and supply some details," he said. The style of architecture was mentioned and it seemed the consensus of opinion that it would be best to follow as closely as possible the lines of the old building. It was also the consensus of opinion that not another dollar should be spent on temporary quarters. The discussion also included the much talked of additions to the Pawtucket, Bartlett, Highland and Lincoln schools, but no definite action was taken.

Adjourned at 5.30 to meet Tuesday night at 9 o'clock.

NURSES ALUMNAE MEET

GRADUATES OF ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL HELD BUSINESS MEETING AND ENJOYED MUSICALE

The regular meeting of the Nurses Alumnae association of St. John's hospital was held last evening at the home of Miss Ella Quinn, 53 Nesmith street, with 20 members in attendance. Miss Annie Nash, president of the association, presided, and much business of importance was transacted. A very interesting paper by Dr. William M. Jones, referring to the early history of the hospital and the development of the nursing profession, was read, and there was a discussion of timely topics. Following the transaction of routine business there was a delightful musical program with songs by Miss Alice Dacey, Miss Mary Quinn and others. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening spent. It was announced that a special meeting of importance will be held at the hospital next Monday evening, and that the next meeting of the association will be at the home of Miss Helen O'Rourke.

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BECKER LOSES

Justice Hughes Has Refused Application for Writ of Error

RANGELEY, Me., July 10.—Justice Charles E. Hughes has refused the application for a writ of error to the United States supreme court made by counsel for Charles Becker of New York who has been condemned to die in the week of July 26 for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler.

The application was denied upon the ground that there was no substantial federal question.

It is understood that the argument upon the application for the writ was made at the justice's summer home at Rangeley Lake yesterday by W. Bourke Cockran of New York. Mr. Cockran left for home today without having made any statement regarding his mission and nothing of the procedure was made known beyond the following authorized announcement:

Justice Hughes declined today to make any comment on the case.

Gov. Whitman made no comment regarding Justice Hughes' denial of the Becker application for a writ of error.

"I can only say that I shall be ready at all times to hear any appeal that counsel or friends of Becker may desire to make to me," he said.

MRS BECKER NOTIFIED

NEW YORK, July 10.—Mrs. Charles Becker received word today that the application made in behalf of her husband to Justice Hughes had been denied. She made plans to confer with W. Bourke Cockran, Becker's counsel, later in the day. Mrs. Becker said she would visit her husband in his cell at Sing Sing tomorrow.

OVERCOME BY GAS

Man Found Unconscious at St. Charles Hotel This Morning—Had Registered as Guest

A man whose name is not known was found unconscious in a room in the St. Charles hotel this morning suffering from gas asphyxiation. He was taken in the ambulance to the Lowell corporation hospital where physicians worked over him in an attempt to revive him. The man was unconscious all forenoon, however, and unable to give his name.

At the hotel it was stated that the man hired a room there late last night. Though he registered, a clerk at the hotel said it was impossible to decipher his name or address. It is believed that the asphyxiation was accidental.

The man regained consciousness late this afternoon and he spoke very little, for his knowledge of the English language is very limited. One of the nurses at the hospital said the man gave his name as "Mike" Rogers. She stated that he is still on the dangerous list with slight chance of recovery.

CHILD BURNED TO DEATH

SET CLOTHES ON FIRE WITH MATCHES—DIED AT ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL

John Metropoulos, a child of four years, died at St. John's hospital this afternoon as a result of burns sustained at the home of the parents, Arthur and Panagiota, on Lakeview avenue, in Dracut, last night. The little one had been playing with matches and set his clothes afire. The body was removed to the chapel of Undertaker Molloy.

STEAMER NORTHLAND ARRIVES

MONTREAL, July 10.—Word was received here today that the steamer Northland, with 2000 Canadian troops on board, had arrived at Plymouth.

Among the military units on the ship were the second university company, under Capt. George O. McDonald, going to serve as reinforcements to the Princess Patricia regiment. This includes a number of men from McGill university as well as graduates and undergraduates from Toronto, Kingston, Winnipeg, Calgary, Victoria and other Canadian universities.

A draft to reinforce the 27th battery also was on the ship.

INCREASE SUBMARINE STRENGTH

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Secretary Daniels today made it clear that he is a staunch advocate for material increases in submarine strength.

"I told the naval committee last summer," said the secretary, "that I hoped they would add just as many submarines as they possibly could find money for."

PEW PLATE RETURNED

ALEXANDRIA, Va., July 10.—The silver name plate taken several months ago from George Washington's pew in Christ church here, was returned today by mail from Cleveland.

ELEVATOR DIDN'T DROP

BOSTON, July 10. Investigation of an elevator accident at the Paddock building yesterday in which several persons were injured, showed that the machine did not drop but that the shaking up received by the passengers was due to the sudden setting of the safety appliances, according to a report made public by Building Commissioner O'Hearn today. An investigator from the building department found that the safety clutches were out of order and had become set on one side of the car and not on the other. The uneven pressure thus exerted caused the elevator to be twisted out of shape.

BASEBALL RESULTS

National score: St. Louis 7, Boston 1, first game.

National score: Brooklyn 8, Chicago 3, first game.

At Portland: Portland 5, Fitchburg 4. First game.

WE SHOULD WORRY

MADISON, Wis., July 10.—Under the eugenic marriage law the number of weddings in Wisconsin declined from 21,052 in 1913 to 17,215 in 1914, according to an announcement today by Dr. C. A. Harper, secretary of the state board of health and vital statistics.

COLUMBUS CLUB BUYS WRIGHT

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 10.—Outfielder Wright of the Jersey City club of the International league has been purchased by the Columbus club of the American Association, according to announcement made here by manager Huiswitt.

newspapers here. The comments are marked with a tone of exultation over the fact that the government refuses to abandon submarine warfare.

GERMAN NOTE

President Wilson Retains Strict Silence on Entire Subject

CORNISH, N. H., July 10.—President Wilson was in communication today with Secretary Lansing and Secretary Tumulty at Washington, regarding the latest German note on submarine warfare.

After the president had been told of unofficial versions of the text of the German note he made no comment. It was said that he would study carefully the official text of the note as soon as he received it, and in the meantime would maintain a strict silence on the entire subject.

Upon his return from an early morning game of golf President Wilson was informed of the publication in American newspapers this morning of the text of the note as cabled unofficially from Berlin. He immediately communicated with Washington and remained in his study at Harlakenden house until lunch time, considering the situation growing out of the note as well as other official business.

Sec. Lansing will take the German note to Pres. Wilson at Cornish, N. H., as soon as the official text arrives. The president will then decide when he will return to Washington. The president conferred with Secretary Tumulty at noon today and asked that Secretary Lansing bring the note to him.

The official text of the note was today probably somewhere between Copenhagen and New York on its way to the state department. The first word that came to the state department today was that Ambassador Gerard had, late yesterday notified the telegraph office at Copenhagen that it was on its way to the cable.

Officials thought the first sections would begin coming through tonight. The last note from Berlin took thirty hours to reach Washington. It will take several hours to decipher the text after it arrives.

It was said by high officials that Mr. Lansing probably would start for Cornish tomorrow and that after a policy had been determined upon it would most likely be submitted to a cabinet meeting at the end of next week for final consideration.

The general expectation is that Mr. Lansing will spend a day or two with the president at Cornish and return to Washington with a preliminary draft of a note which, when completed would await the president's return and discussion with the cabinet.

ASSOCIATED PRESS LEADS

NEW YORK, July 10.—Answering numerous inquiries, how the Associated Press brought in the German note in advance of the official despatch to Washington, is explained by the fact that the official communication had to be coded by the American embassy in Berlin, while the Associated Press report came in plain language. It was routed Berlin, to Holland, to London, to New York.

THE EDITORIAL COMMENTS

The German reply to President Wilson's second note was editorially commented upon today throughout the United States. Excerpts from some of the leading newspapers:

New York Evening Sun: The German reply to President Wilson's remonstrance against the abomination of submarine raiding as practiced by the kaiser's navy would be a climax of impudence if it were not a marvel of tarnity.

The New York Herald: Stripped of its cant about "humanity" of its prating about German's previous contentions in behalf of "abolishment of the right of capture"; of its tirade against Great Britain and its altogether specious contentions with regard to the Lusitania, the German answer to the United States is one of defiance.

Chicago Journal: The German note just received in Washington is one of the most insolent and evasive messages ever addressed by the government of one great nationa to that of another. It fails to offer any reparation or apology for the killing of Americans on the Lusitania and other vessels. Clearly the jingo, Reventlow brand of "statesmanship," is in control. It remains to be seen whether President Wilson can discover any peaceful method of making such jingoes respect American rights.

Philadelphia Evening Bulletin: The fatal fault in Germany's reply to the American note is that there is no disavowal of the assault on the Lusitania, no assurance of reparation or any assumption of responsibility and no adequate assurance against the recurrence of such a disaster. There can be no satisfactory settlement of the issue and friendly relations cannot permanently continue unless there shall be expiration in some form.

Boston Transcript: Without equivocation and with a politeness offensively insinating Germany rejects each and all of our demands and attempts to bargain with respect to the future. What right have we to retain a seat among the self respecting nations of the world if we abandon our dead to their fate and bargain with their murderers for the safety of our living?

BRYAN'S COMMENT ON NOTE

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—"I am glad that Germany has indicated a desire to reach a satisfactory understanding in this situation."

This was the only comment made last night by William J. Bryan, former secretary of state, after he had heard the summary and salient paragraphs of the German note over long distance telephone.

COMMENT BY GERMAN PAPERS

BERLIN, via London, July 10, 11.58 a. m.—Commenting on the German reply of July 8 to the American note dated June 9, relative to Germany's submarine warfare and its effect on American interests, the Morgen Post today says:

"The answer in every way is worthy of Germany. It shows the calm of a good conscience, a willingness to lessen the fearfulness of war as far as possible, and an upright wish to live in peace with America; but it also expresses a firm will not to abate one jot or title of Germany's rights. The answer clearly shows that the responsibility for the form of submarine warfare rests on Great Britain."

The Morgen Post says:

"Feeling in the United States is changed from what it was at the time of the Lusitania sinking, and President Wilson will have to satisfy this new feeling in considering and answering the present note. That the note will meet unrestricted approval at the hands of a large part of Americans is certain."

GERMAN PRESS PLEASED

BERLIN, July 10, via London, 3.50 p. m.—The German reply to the American note of June 9 with reference to Germany's submarine warfare and the American interests involved finds unanimous praise in all the morning

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	71¾	70	70
Am Beet Sugar	46¼	45	46¼
Am Can	45⅞	44	45⅞
Am Can pfd	100	100	100
Am Car & Fn	52⅞	52¼	52⅞
Am Cot Oil	44	44	44
Am Locomo	44½	42¾	44½
Am Smelt & R	75⅞	74⅞	75⅞
Am Smelt & R pf	107	106½	107
Anaconda	34	33¾	33⅞
Atchison	99¾	98¾	99¾
Atch pf	96¾	96¾	96¾
Balt & Ohio	75⅞	75	75⅞
Balt & O pf	70	69¾	70
Br Rap Tran	86¾	86¾	86¾
Canadian Pa	143⅜	141½	142⅞
Cent Leather	41⅛	40⅞	41
Ches & Ohio	36	36	36
Chi & Gt W	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
Col Fuel	30½	30½	30½
Del & Hud	142	142	142
Dis Secur Co	21¾	20	21¾
Erie	25⅞	24⅞	25⅞
Erie 1st pf	39½	38⅞	39½
Gen Elec	163	161	162
Gt North pf	115⅞	114	115⅞
Gt N Ore ctf	33⅞	33⅞	33⅞
Illinois Cen	100½	100½	100½
Int Met Com	20⅞	19⅞	20⅞
Int Met pf	71	71	71
Int Paper pf	34⅞	34⅞	34⅞
Kan City So	23⅞	23	23⅞
Kan & Texas	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞
Kan & T pf	19⅞	19	19½
Lehigh Valley	139½	139	139½
Louis & Nash	106½	106½	106½
Missouri Pa	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
Nat Lead	56⅞	56⅞	56
N Y Air Brake	90	90	90
N Y Central	83⅞	83	83⅞
North Pacific	102⅞	102	102⅞
Nor & West	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞
Pennsylvania	104⅞	104⅞	104⅞
Pressed Steel	45	43½	45
Ry St Sp Co	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞
Reading	151½	144⅞	145⅞
Rep Iron & S	28	27⅞	27⅞
Rep I & S pf	87⅞	87	87⅞
Rock Is	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞
St Paul	80¼	78⅞	79¼
So Pacific	85⅞	84	84⅞
Southern Ry	14⅞	13⅞	14
Southern Ry pf	44	43⅞	44
Tenn Copper	54⅞	51⅞	51⅞
Texas Pac	12⅞	12	12⅞
Third Ave	51½	51½	51½
Union Pacific	125⅞	123⅞	125⅞
Union Pac pf	80⅞	79⅞	80⅞
U S Rub	47½	46	47½
U S Steel	59⅞	58½	59½
U S Steel pf	109⅞	109⅞	109⅞
U S Steel 5s	101½	101½	101½
Utah Copper	66⅞	65	66⅞
Westinghouse	97¼	96½	97
Western Un	60	60	60

QUOTED VALUES STRONG

Berlin's Note Impelled Hasty Retreat of the Short Interest at the Opening Today

NEW YORK, July 10.—Over-night developments in the relations between this country and Germany imparted greater strength to quoted values today. Berlin's note impelled a hasty retreat of the short interest at the outset, with recoveries of 1 to almost 3 points in numerous investment issues. The rise was met by renewed foreign offerings, causing a general reaction and in some instances wiping out initial gains. In the final trading, however, prices rallied spiritedly under lead of Union Pacific, Canadian Pacific, Reading and U. S. Steel. The closing was firm. Bonds were steady.

ACTIVITY AT BOSTON

BOSTON, July 10.—Local stocks showed greater activity and a more improved tone at today's opening, but an easier tone developed in the later trading reflecting the heaviness in the New York list. The market closed dull.

MERCANTILE PAPER

NEW YORK, July 10.—Mercantile paper 3 and 3 1-2. Sterling: Sixty day bills 4.72; demand, 4.7615; cables, 4.7765. France: Demand, 5.61 1-2; cables, 5.63 1-2. Marks: Demand, 81 5-8; cables, 81 3-4. Lires: Demand, 6.1[illegible]; cables 6.12 1-2. Rubles: Demand, 36 1-2; cables, 36 3-4. Bar silver, 47 7-8. Mexican dollars, 36 3-4. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds steady.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, July 10.—Cotton futures closed easy. July, 8.42; October, 8.88; December, 9.06; January, 9.16; March, 9.46.

Spot quiet; middling 8.90.

THE COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, July 10.—A renewal of liquidation which has been in progress in the cotton market for the past two or three days caused a further break of $1.50 per bale in prices here today. October contracts sold for $8.75, or more than $5 per bale below the price of last week, and $10.35 a bale under the high record of the season.

Uneasiness over international conditions, reports of continued favorable new crop conditions and apprehensions of a restricted export outlet appeared to have shaken the confidence of the long interests.

INCREASE IN TONNAGE

NEW YORK, July 10.—The unfilled tonnage of the United States Steel corporation on June 30 totalled 4,678,156 tons, an increase of 413,598 over May.

BOSTON MARKET

RAILROADS	High	Low	Close
Boston Elevated	73	73	73
Bos & Maine	26¾	25	26¾
Fitchburg pf	66	66	66
N Y & N H	57¼	54⅞	56½
MINING			
Alaska Gold	37	36½	36¾
Allouez	52	52	52
American zinc	56	55¾	56
Arcadian	10½	10½	10½
Ariz Com	7⅞	7	7
Butte & Superior	70	68½	70
Cal & Ariz	63	63	63
Cal & Hecla	545	545	545
Centennial	18	18	18
Chino	44½	44¼	44½
Copper Range	53	52½	53
Daly-West	3½	3	3
E Butte	12⅞	12	12
Franklin	9	8	9
Greene-Cananea	36½	36½	36½
Granby	85	85	85
Kerr Lake	4⅞	4⅞	4¾
Lake	13⅞	13¼	13¼
Miami	27¼	27	27¼
Mohawk	71½	71	71½
Nevada	14	14	14
North Butte	30½	30	30
Old Dominion	51	51	51
Osceola	84	83½	83½
Ray Con	22⅞	22⅞	22½
Santa Fe	2⅞	2½	2½
Shannon	8	8	8
Superior & Boston	2⅞	2¾	2¾
Tamarack	35	35	35
Trinity	4½	4½	4½
U S Smelting	40	39½	40
U S Smelting pf	45½	45	45
Utah-Apex	4	4	4
Utah Cons	13⅞	13½	13½
Winona	4	4	4
Wolverine	60	59½	59½
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	119¾	119¾	119¾
MISCELLANEOUS			
Am Ag Chem pf	94½	94½	94½
Am Woolen pf	84¼	84	84
Mass Gas	87½	87½	87½
Pond Creek	10⅞	10½	10½
Swift & Co	111½	111½	111½
United Fruit	133	133	133
United Sh M	50	49⅞	50

EXCHANGES AND BALANCES

NEW YORK, July 10.—Exchanges $305,358,306; balances $19,000,398. For the week: $1,616,112,139; balances $98,595,877.

LAWRENCE WON

Continued

there was no score. Luyster opened with a fly to Swayne. O'Connell went out on a fast play, Fahey to Estes. Mahoney got a free pass but went out when he attempted to steal second on a perfect play by Ahearn to Dee. No runs, no hits, no errors.

In Lowell's half of the first Swayne went to first on four wide ones and reached second on a sacrifice by Fahey, who was thrown out Conley to Ostergren on a close play. Estes went out on a fly to O'Connell. Bowcock put up one to right field which Luyster got under and the side was retired. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 0, Lawrence 0.

Second Inning

Lawrence landed on Houser in the second inning and before the smoke of the battle cleared away the visitors had piled up three runs. Here is how it happened: Warner opened with the first hit of the game, a single to left field. Thompson was an easy victim on strikes. Warner then came over with the first run on Ostergren's two-bagger to left centre. Flaherty scratched a single between first and second, sending Ostergren to third. On an attempted double steal Ostergren was put out at the plate. Conley doubled to centre field, scoring Flaherty. On a Texas leaguer to left by Harris Conley crossed the plate. Luyster ended the agony by going out on his grounder to Warner, who threw to Ostergren in time to head off the runner. Three runs, five hits, no errors.

Barrows was retired on a foul fly to Conley. Dee went out on a foul fly which landed in Ostergren's hands. Capt. Ahearn came through with Lowell's first hit, a single over first. Martin ended the inning by fanning. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 0, Lawrence 3.

Third Inning

Lawrence went out in order in the third inning, O'Connell and Mahoney being retired on strikes while Warner flied to Martin. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Houser opened the third inning for Lowell with a single to right but was forced out at second on Swayne's grounder to Mahoney. Fahey sent up a high fly to right field which Luyster got under. Estes singled to right, sending Swayne to second. Bowcock then rapped a high fly to right field which Luyster corralled after a hard run. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 0, Lawrence 3.

Fourth Inning

Lawrence added two more to her total in the fourth inning. Thompson dropped one over second just out of Bowcock's reach. Ostergren's attempted sacrifice went high and was caught by Estes. Barrows took Flaherty's fly in deep centre, Conley then banged the ball over the left field fence for a home run, sending Thompson in ahead of him. Harris took first through Houser's generosity but went out on Luyster's fielder's choice, Fahey to Bowcock. Two runs, two hits, no errors.

Barrows went out on a foul fly to Conley. Dee flied to O'Connell and Martin closed the inning by striking out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 0, Lawrence 5.

Fifth Inning

Martin went on third and Fahey went to right field. Fahey showed that he was "there" as an outfielder by taking O'Connell's fly. On Mahoney's grounder, Dee made a beautiful stop but his throw to Estes was high and by a great leap the Lowell first baseman saved Shorty an error. Warner was retired when he sent a deep fly to Swayne. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Lowell went out in order in the fifth. Martin foul-flied to Flaherty and Houser and Swayne went out on grounders Thompson to Ostergren. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Score: Lowell 0, Lawrence 5.

Sixth Inning

Thompson went back to the bench after fanning. Ostergren [illegible] to left field but was retired, Barrows to Dee, when he attempted to steal [illegible]. Flaherty closed the inning [illegible] by flying to Fahey in deep right. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Fahey opened the sixth with a single to left field. Estes [illegible] strike-out route. [illegible] fell down off first base and [illegible] Thompson to Ostergren. [illegible] Bowcock's fly in deep right. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 0, Lawrence 5.

Seventh Inning

Conley made his third hit of the game when he banged the ball to deep centre for three bases. Harris went out on a grounder, Dee to Estes, Conley being held on third. Luyster scored Conley with a single to left. O'Connell flied out to Dee and Mahoney hit a fly to Barrows. One run, two hits, no errors.

Lowell broke into the run column in the lucky seventh. Barrows opened with a beautiful two-bagger to left and went to third on a wild pitch. Dee went out, Warner to Ostergren! Barrows trotted home with Lowell's first run when Ahearn dropped a Texas leaguer into right. Martin hit to Conley, who threw to Warner, forcing out Ahearn. Houser made his second hit of the game, a two-bagger to right. Martin scored when Flaherty dropped Warner's beautifully relayed play. Swayne went out on his fly to Thompson. Two runs, three hits, one error.

Lowell 2, Lawrence 6.

Eighth Inning

Warner singled to left at the beginning of the eighth inning. Thompson groundered to Houser and both runners were safe when Dee dropped Houser's perfect throw. Ostergren was safe on his bunt in front of the plate when Ahearn threw badly to first. Flaherty groundered to Bowcock, who threw to Ahearn, getting Warner, and the Lowell captain sent the ball to first for a double play. Conley closed the inning with a fly to centre field which Barrows got under. No runs, one hit, two errors.

Fahey singled to left field but went out, Warner to Mahoney, on Estes' grounder. Bowcock and Barrows went out on flies to Warner. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Score: Lowell 2, Lawrence 6.

Ninth Inning

Harris went out, Dee to Estes. Luyster flied out to Dee. O'Connell struck out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Dee opened Lowell's half of the ninth with a single between third and short. Ahearn went out on a grounder to Warner with Thompson taking the play at first. Martin then struck out. The game was over when House sent a grounder to Mahoney who threw him out at first. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Final score: Lowell, 2; Lawrence, 6.

Score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	r	h	e
Lawrence	0	3	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	6	11	1
Lowell	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	9	2

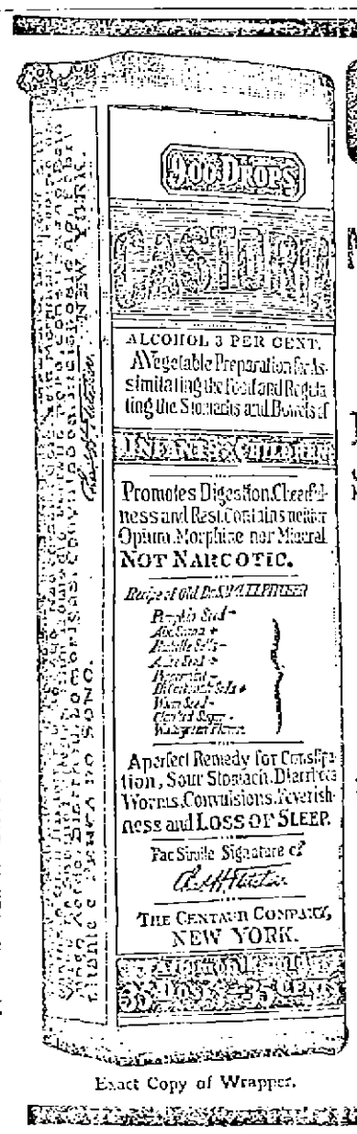
Second Game

After a 10 minute intermission, the second game was started. Manager Pearson sent Fuller, who up to date has won 12 and lost five games, to the rubber. Thompson was sent out to left field and Harris was assigned to bench duty. Manager Kelchner shook up his batting order placing Barrows in the clean up position instead of Bowcock. Zieser went in the box for the home team with Ahearn on the receiving end.

Zieser was in great form in the first inning striking out three batsmen, Luyster, O'Connell and Mahoney. Lowell threatened to score in her half of the inning, but a close play at the plate brought the inning to a close. In the first half of the second, Warner and Thompson went out on flies. Ostergren singled and stole second but the inning closed without a score when Flaherty fanned.

EXAMS. FOR ENLISTED MEN

WASHINGTON, July 10.—The first examination of enlisted men of the navy for positions in the pay corps will be held Nov. 1, Secretary Daniels announced today.



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LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

Port Glasgow. She was 244 feet long, 36 feet beam and 16 feet deep. She was owned by the Watson Steamship company, Ltd., of Manchester.

RESULT IN DARDANELLES

PARIS, July 10, 3.05 p. m.—An official announcement given out in Paris today reviews the results of the military operations in the Dardanelles between June 9 and June 21.

Previous to June 21 the daily engagements were relatively unimportant, but on the 21st a general offensive movement was organized by the French expeditionary force and resulted in the capturing of two lines of trenches. The principal objective was the position known as "Haricot" around which fortification the struggle has continued for the past six weeks. This position was stormed on three sides, and although the officer in command of the French expedition was severely wounded, the French forces continued to advance bravely and succeeded in gaining a foothold in the second line of trenches and in capturing a portion of the redoubt.

The fight lasted throughout the day and at nightfall the lieutenant-colonel in command gave orders to charge on the fort and regain the territory which, during the afternoon, the French troops had been forced to evacuate. Ten minutes later the whole line of trenches again was in possession of the French, and the Turks had been routed.

The French at once began to prepare their new positions to withstand the counter-attack which it was evident the Turks contemplated. This work was particularly difficult as the French were continually under the fire of several long range guns removed by the Turks from the former German cruiser Goeben and brought overland from Adrianople. At 3 o'clock the following morning the Turks made a furious counter-attack, but they were repulsed by the excellent infantry and artillery fire of the French. This last attack cost the Turks entire regiments, and the French gained the key position of Kereves Dere.

FROM GERMAN HEADQUARTERS

BERLIN, July 10, via London, 3 p. m.—The German army headquarters staff today gave out the following statement:

"In the western theatre: Military activity was only slight along the entire front throughout the day. Three French attacks at Launois, on the southern slope of Hill No. 631, near Ban-de-Sapt, broke down under our artillery fire.

"During the night a projecting French trench was taken by storm in the Champagne district northeast of the Beausejour farm. Joining this trench to the east we undertook a few successful mining explosions.

"Between Ailly and Apremont isolated fighting at close quarters took place.

"In the forest of Le Prêtre we improved our new positions by making an advance.

"Since the fourth of July 1789 prisoners, including 21 officers, were taken and three cannon, 12 machine guns and 18 mine throwers were captured in the battles between the Meuse and the Moselle.

"At Lionfroy, east of Luneville, night advances made by the enemy against our outer positions were repulsed.

"In the eastern theatre: An attack made on the enemy on Ossowetz was repulsed.

"In the southeastern theatre: The situation with the German troops remains unchanged."

DOPING OUT THE CAUSE

PETROGRAD, July 10, via London, 1.30 p. m.—The principal factor in the defeat of the Austro-German left wing near Krasnik, in southern Russian Poland, and the subsequent quietness in this region is thought by Russian military commentators to be a general shifting of German forces northward to the Warsaw front and the abandonment of the Galician field to the Austrians under Gen. Eduard von Boehm-Ermolli.

Serious activity already has been noted along the Pransnysz front and in the Bobr and Oryez section, which is regarded as preliminary to another frontal attack upon Warsaw.

The Russian stand has had a tremendous effect upon the spirits of the army and the people and more optimistic Russian observers even go so far as to predict that the Austro-Hungarians soon will be expelled from the crown land of Galicia back to the Carpathian mountains.

ALEXANDRETTA BOMBARDED

PARIS, July 10, 4.45 p. m.—The French ministry of marine today issued a statement announcing the bombardment of Alexandretta by a French battleship. The statement was as follows:

"The German consulate at Alexandretta having taken no notice of our action on May 13 when a French battleship bombarded the consulate, and having re-hoisted the German flag, a French battleship has again bombarded the consulate, and having re-hoisted the German flag, a French battleship the consulate, carrying away the flag. All precautions, however, have been taken in order that no other houses should be hit."

FLAG WAS SHOT DOWN

A despatch sent out by wireless telegraphy from Berlin July 7 said that the Turkish authorities at Alexandretta, on the Gulf of Iskanderum, having refused to haul down the German flag flying over the German consulate, it was shot down by a French warship.

BIG BRITISH WAR LOAN

LONDON, July 10, 5.41 p. m.—Reginald McKenna, chancellor of the exchequer, this evening authorized the statement that the great British war loan had been supported in a way that had satisfied his expectations.

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KETTLES OF TAR BLAZED

THREATENED SERIOUS FIRE ON MOODY STREET TODAY—PUT OUT BY SAND

A lively blaze occurred in Moody street shortly before 2 o'clock this noon and but for the prompt action of carpenters in the employ of Avila Sawyer, a conflagration might have resulted.

The contents of two large kettles of boiling tar in the road near a new building, which the men were gravel roofing, caught fire from over-heating, the men in charge of the job having gone to dinner. The tar boiled over the kettles, caught fire and spread to the street. The wind was blowing the flames in the direction of the surrounding houses, and fearing disastrous results, the employes of Avila Sawyer rushed to the scene with shovels and succeeded in extinguishing the flames by shoveling sand on the blazing tar. The fire occurred at a point about opposite James street and it was stated that several hundred dollars' worth of tar was spoiled. The men in charge of the kettles returned after the trouble was all over.

CHARGED WITH MURDER

LYNN, July 10.—Chilsuis W. Lorenzen, a boy of 17 years, was held without bail for the grand jury today after a district court hearing on the charge of murdering Albert J. Atwater on July 3.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL

For the week ending July 10, 1915: Population, 106,294; total deaths, 21; deaths under five, 7; infectious diseases, 2; acute lung diseases, 2; tuberculosis, 2.

Death rate: 10.72 against 10.16 and 13.21 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported for the week ending July 10, 1915: Diphtheria, 2; measles, 4; tuberculosis, 2.

Board of Health.

TOPPING IN THE LEAD

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., July 10.—Henry J. Topping of Greenwich, had a slight lead over his club mate, Hamilton K. Kerr when the first half of the 36 hole championship match of the annual tournament of the Connecticut golf association for the state title was completed shortly after noon at the Brooklyn Country club today. He led his opponent by one up and as a result entered the final 18 hole play this afternoon a favorite for the state honors.

ANTON LOST HIS ROLL

CONCORD, N. H., July 10.—Anton Jonsson of this city was relieved by pickpockets of $100 at the railroad station here today.

WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

DRESSING UP THE BACK YARD

"I wish I could fix our back yard up pretty and cool appearing," said Marjorie, as she gazed out to her aunt's well kept garden back of the house.

"I don't know why you can't accomplish that wish," returned Marie. "Of course the summer yard must have its hammock for lazy hours of rest or reading and a swinging bed hammock with bright cushions and an awning overhead is very ornamental under a clump of trees or against a big bush.

"More and more interest is being paid to the developing of beauty in a small yard, but a hit or miss arrangement will not have the dignity desirable and experimenting is impossible with the planting of things that must be put in the ground to stay. The finished effect has to be conceived in the imagination—in the mind's eye, so to speak.

"Rustic furniture is best for your yard, I think. Against the green of the hedge, a curved white settee would be delightful. The shape would suggest a cosy chat and a tea table might be set within the curved circle. Such an article of lawn furniture, placed against a clump of shrubbery, or under a shady tree, will lend distinction to the yard.

"A new kind of garden furniture for the summer nook is the familiar rustic birch sold with flat slab crosspieces changed a trifle in color. Tint this furniture a rich forest green and then shellac it. The contrast of green slats and the uprights of natural birch is also very pleasing. There is a roughness of suggestion about this furniture that makes it ideal for outdoors.

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INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The employes of the Massachusetts and Merrimack mills will resume work Monday after enjoying a seven days' vacation.

The employes of the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co. will not take up their duties again until a week from Monday.

The Ipswich mills, Ipswich, Mass., of which the local plant in Warren street is a part, one of the largest, best managed and merchandised hosiery mills in the country, has representatives in Great Britain handling its product for export.

The Lawrence Manufacturing Co. of this city has a surplus of yarn on the market at the present time greater than ever before, because the local mill is using artificial silk and silk bought in the open market instead of some of its own product.

The Millmen's union held a well attended meeting in Carpenters hall, Runels building last night, at which considerable business of importance was transacted. Two applications for membership were received and turned over to the investigating committee. Following the session addresses on organization were made by several of the members.

Machinists' Union

The regular weekly meeting of the Machinists' union, local 135, was held in Cotton Spinners' hall, but only business of a routine nature was transacted.

Bricklayers' Union

The Bricklayers' union had a lengthy and interesting session last night. A number of committee reports were accepted as read and a bunch of communications from various unions, in which a number of grievances were stated were referred to the secretary for disposal.

Woolen Weavers

The Woolen Weavers' union held another rousing meeting in Trades & Labor hall last evening. Nine candidates were admitted and seven applications for membership were received. Addresses were made by Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers, Daniel E. Whalen, organizer for the Boot & Shoe Workers' union and others.

Woburn Boys Return

Archie Mohan and Harold Hennelly, two Woburn lads, who recently enlisted in the British army in England and through the efforts of Congressman Rogers of this city obtained their release, have returned to their homes. The young men stated they went aboard a cattle boat and were left penniless in England. Inasmuch as they had experience in the militia, being at one time connected with Company G, Fifth regiment, they enlisted in the army in a spirit of adventure.

Thinks Girls Failure in Business

Mrs. E. A. Hodgkins, instructor and advisor of employes in Denver department stores is quoted as saying:

"If I were the owner of a large store I would employ only men. Women have only their intuition to depend upon to succeed in the business world. They lack judgment and reasoning powers. They do a thing but cannot tell why they did it. Their inherent inability to give a reason when asked is what prevents them from being as valuable to business as men."

These are Mrs. Hodgkins' words. Her professional title is "efficiency expert."

"Women are paid less than men not because their sex is unfairly treated," Mrs. Hodgkins is further quoted, "but because they are worth less. I do not say that women are utterly unfit to be in the business world, but certainly, if I were an employer, I would hire men in preference to women. I should consider women too much of a risk. There are many well-balanced women, but even they are likely to fail when it comes to a matter of reasoning. A woman gambles where a man reasons.

Mrs. Hodgkins evidently could not have been a suffraget.

Opportunity for Advance

The United States has long been designated "The Land of Opportunity," and with good reason, for in no other country does the man with intelligence, ability and a willingness to work as his sole capital, have presented to him parallel opportunities for advancement. No matter what field he enters ,there are many avenues for advancement before him. His progress depends very largely on his own efforts. There are those who because of failure, are inclined to view such statements with little credence, making the claim that though it may have been true some time since, there is much less possibility of winning success at the present time.

We are not inclined to accept this pessimistic view, although willing to admit that with the increase of population there is greater competition along certain lines. On the other hand, new inventions have created new industries, and these, in turn, more opportunities, for those who have the capacity for close application and study. One of the best known captains of industry said not long ago that there were many more high salaried positions waiting for competent men to fill them than there were men fitted to take them. This may seem a very broad statement, but we know that many of our large corporations are ever on the alert to secure the services of competent men, with but little regard to the salary requirements. True, we are not all endowed with an equal amount of ability, and many must be content to occupy a lower position on the industrial ladder, but the fact remains that the man with brains and ambition can gain the heights today as easily as at any period in the world's history. Indeed, it would be safe to say with greater ease at the present time, because increased facilities are available.

Lack of education has been responsible in some instances for keeping men in subordinate positions in years gone by, but today an education is within the reach of practically everyone in the land who desires it. Higher education, invaluable as it may be from a cultural standpoint, is not essential for the successful management of a business enterprise, and lack of college training in no wise prohibits one from gaining notable success in industrial life. One of the chief causes for lack of advancement is the great lack of concentration exhibited by the majority of our textile operatives. But few of them seekingly have any desire or ambition beyond the week end and the arrival of pay day. So many are content to perform their duties in a perfunctory manner, possibly working to secure a greater production and thereby a greater wage, but not especially solicitous as to the quality of their work, if it will only pass inspection. It is not from such as these that future overseers and superintendents are made, though invariably when some fellow worker receives a merited promotion they are voluble in expression of the thought that favoritism has been shown or the coveted position would have been theirs.

But a short time ago conversation with a young man of prepossessing personality brought to light the fact that promotion had come to one of those employed in the same department as himself, which he considered should rightly have been given to him. By further conversation it was brought out that he was a stickler for his "rights," and was averse to performing any work not strictly in his line of duty. He maintained that he did all he was paid for. This is a mistaken attitude for anyone to assume who has any desire for an increase in wages or a better position. The best method of getting higher wages is to earn more, and show a disposition to do more than the required amount of work. This young man made the mistake that many others are making today, contented to be expert in the particular process in which he was engaged, but with no ambition to acquire familiarity with other departments of mill work. In order to become the manager of a plant it is essential that the textile worker should learn as much as possible about the work of the various departments, so that, should he attain the desired goal, he will be able to co-ordinate the various departments into a smoothly working whole.

In the majority of instances the superintendent must accept a position in a relatively small mill, and such a position requires much more familiarity with the details of the various departments than does the management of the large plant. The size of the plant and its earning capacity is an effectual barrier to the high salaries necessary to secure the ablest men to head the various departments. Many questions of detail are referred to the superintendent that in a larger plant would be taken care of by a subordinate. In the small mill the superintendent must be a thorough manufacturer, while in the larger organization his duties are, to a very great extent, executive, as he can have as subordinates thoroughly competent men at the head of every department.

With the increased competition becoming more and more keen every season, arises the demand for men of ability who, by training, are fitted to deal with the complicated problem of operating a mill profitably. There seems to be an unwarrantable aversion on the part of our young men against engaging in the textile business, either woolen or worsted, partially perhaps because parts of the work are somewhat dirty and disagreeable. Abundant opportunities, however, are open to the honest, intelligent worker to attain a position of responsibility that will well repay the period of drudgery incident to his apprenticeship.

SLEEPYTIME TALES

NED'S FISHING TRIP

Once upon a time Ned's father one morning asked him if he would like to go fishing. Of course Ned was delighted for he had teased his father for a long time to let him go with him to fish. So after breakfast father, with his spade and Ned with his toy shovel, went out into the garden back of the house to dig worms for bait.

Ned did not know whether he liked to pick up the worms or not, they were so slippery and crawly, but his father didn't seem to mind doing it, so Ned was brave as he could be and picked them up as calmly as did his father, although he almost squealed several times when they twined about his little fingers.

Then they got the boat down to the edge of the pond and father let Ned steer with the rudder while he rowed. Ned of course teased to row but his father didn't think he was strong enough and feared he would tip the boat over or lose the oars. When they started fishing Ned had again to handle the nasty worms and put them on his hook, but he was quite used to it by this time. Then he dropped his line overboard and it had only been there a minute or so when Ned felt a tug, then a much harder one and his father said: "Pull it up Ned. You've got a fish."

Ned hauled in his line and flop into the boat came one of the prettiest little fish you can imagine and there it lay flapping its tail at Ned's feet. "Now what shall I do?" shouted Ned, much excited. "Take it off the hook," answered his father. "And be careful you don't stick the hook in your fingers."

So Ned had to take the wriggling fish in his hand, and after much squealing and "Oh dears," he managed to get it off the hook and into the basket, but it was only his father's: "To be a man Ned you must learn to do these things," that kept him from crying, and it was a long time before he teased to go fishing again.

BENNETT HALL, BILLERICA

Bennett Hall in Billerica Centre affords a delightful place of amusement during the summer months. The hall is open the year round and during the past winter held very many successful dinner dances. During the summer months informal dancing is held every evening attracting a large number of patrons. Dinner is served from 6 to 8 p. m. and a light supper from 8.30 to 10 p. m. Music for dancing is furnished by a colored orchestra. A delightful evening of pleasure is in store for you at Bennett Hall.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Margaret Hardy, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by John Tannahill, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, John Tannahill, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourteenth day of September, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate sixty days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of William McCoy, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Charles H. Molloy, of Lowell, in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the thirteenth day of July, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

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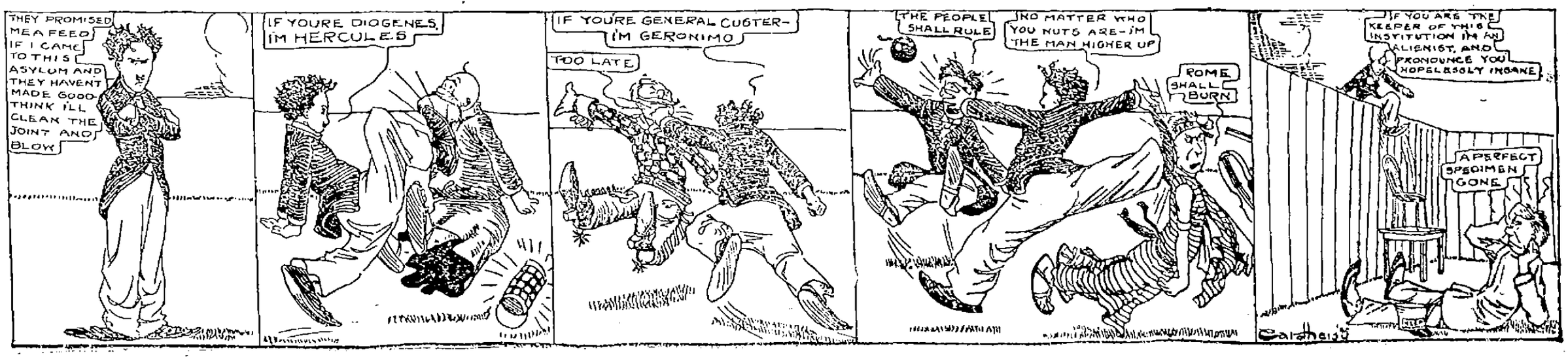

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THE SPELLBINDER

As high water and the engineering experts have held up the Pawtucket bridge matter temporarily, the thoughts of the members of the municipal council have reverted to the question of a new high school and the outlook isn't any too promising inasmuch as the discussion has been taken up immediately after the council's severe attack of Dennanitis, without any respite for convalescence. After the woful spectacle the municipal council has presented in attempting to handle an $80,000 proposition, it is with fear and trembling that the public watches it approach a $700,000 affair.

But why $700,000? Simply because the municipal council set those figures itself. It also set the figures on the bridge at $80,000, but after weeks of argument none as yet knows whether the bridge will cost $80,000 or 80 times that amount, and so it may be with the high school.

Mayor Murphy would like a school similar to that of Springfield, which cost $1,000,000, but Lowell can't afford a million dollar school, nor a $700,000 building for that matter.

The site has been located though the land damages have not been figured out. All that is known is that the municipal council is going to build a high school and has the idea in its official mind that that school must cost $700,000; no more, no less.

Like all of its other financial dealings of importance the municipal council has considered this matter in secret. In this case the excuse was that if real estate owners became aware of the fact that the city was to build a high school they would make life miserable for the members with offers of sites. When finally the municipal council decided upon the site it desired, it made the fact known that it had selected Kirk street. After making the announcement it side-tracked the proposition and gave its attention to the Pawtucket bridge. Meanwhile the many roomers in the lodging houses in Kirk street looked around for new quarters and moved away leaving empty rooms on the hands of the property owners in that vicinity, who have since been unable to rent them owing to the uncertainty as to the future of the property. Those who were disposed to sell their property have been unable to find a market for it as no one wants to purchase a place and have it seized by the city a short time afterward. Hence the householders have lost money through the premature announcement made by the municipal council and they will expect the city to make good that loss when it takes the property, or else they will bring suit. If the city has to make good this loss it is going to be put to an additional expense of substantial amount that it may or may not have considered when making the estimates that have aggregated the $700,000. In the end we may have a million dollar school building after all, similar in price to Mayor Murphy's ideal, if not in character.

Cost of Building

In other places where school buildings are constructed by experts on such construction, the cost of building them is estimated at $5000 per room, exclusive of the land. That includes the assembly hall, and all other appurtenances of a model school building. A well known architect who specializes in school building work was in Lowell a few days ago and verified the above statement as to the cost per room.

During the year just closed the high school had an enrollment of 1626 pupils, and while the average daily attendance was 1440 and the number listed 1503, the number of seats necessary is always determined by the enrollment and hence it was necessary last year to make provision for 1626, which was done by using up every inch of space in the main building which will take care of about 700 or 800 under ordinary circumstances, and the several large and small annexes. When Mayor Murphy was a member of the school board some years ago in his annual report he said: "The end of all education is the happiness of the individual," but there was but little happiness and less comfort for the individuals who were attempting last year to get an education in a makeshift annex which was without even necessary sanitary appointments. This year the number enrolled will be considerably more, and as the increase has followed annually in the past it is to be assumed that it will continue one year hence so that when the high school shall have been finished, assuming that it is to be built without unnecessary delay, there will be over 2000 pupils enrolled. Of these the present building will continue to take care of 700 or 800, and hence the new building must be of sufficient size to take the overflow and make provisions for future increase.

At $5000 per room a school building that will meet all requirements can be built for less than half of the $700,000, the present estimate. Perhaps the remainder is to go for land damages.

Conferred In Public

After having held several secret conferences on the high school matter the municipal council and the school board finally came together in full view of the public yesterday afternoon. Perhaps they had read Mayor Murphy's report when a member of the school board in which His Honor said:

"When a man accepts the position of a school committeeman, it becomes his duty to make the public good his aim and sole ambition. A member should never permit himself to caucus with some of his associates, and then instead of meeting with the board to hear and be heard, to weigh and consider, meet merely to carry out a cut and dried program. He should also make it a point to improve every proper opportunity to convey to the public full details of the business affairs of the board, as well as his own particular school district. A wrong course pursued in these respects handicaps integrity."

His Honor's remarks of long ago are quite applicable not only to the school board of today, but to the municipal council over which he presides. It would seem His Honor had forgotten that such a report went out in his name.

Col. Carmichael Figuring Again

It was Col. Carmichael, who at a recent meeting of the municipal council figured out that Engineer Denman was to get 5 3-4 per cent. for supervising the construction of the new Pawtucket bridge and he received the prompt correction that the amount to be taken by Mr. Denman included the cost of "placing the steel," which would lead to the assumption that Mr. Denman will roll up his sleeves and personally do the job. Since The Spellbinder published an abstract from the address of Daniel B. Luten on bridge costs, Col. Carmichael has been doing some additional figuring and is more firm than ever in the stand that he took at the recent meeting of the municipal council. Up to the time that The Spellbinder article appeared nothing had been said about the detailed cost of the work, other than the fact that the whole job would cost $80,000 and what Mr. Denman said, namely that steel and supervision, together would cost $15,000 while supervision in the case of the city not purchasing the steel from his company would cost $7079. These figures were accepted by the members of the municipal council without question, though after voting favorably on the $15,000 they changed their minds, left out the steel purchase, and with the exception of Col. Carmichael voted to give Mr. Denman his $7079 for supervision. Now that it is known what Engineer Luten, the expert, believes such bridges should cost there is much figuring going on and much question outside of city hall as to why the municipal council should vote an amount much in excess of the average cost, as per Luten, without looking around to see what that average cost might be. On the first proposition voted favorably upon and then rescinded, the municipal council proposed to pay $15,000 for the steel and supervision combined. Mr. Luten stated that steel should cost 5 per cent. and supervision, 5 per cent. which in this case would total $8000, while the municipal council had voted to pay $15,000 or $7000 more than it should, according to Mr. Luten, for the same. Then the subsequent proposition was voted, to pay Mr. Denman $7079 for supervision or $2079 more than should be paid for supervision, according to Mr. Luten.

Assuming that Mr. Denman is the best supervisor in the country; that his plans are eminently satisfactory to the Locks and Canals Co., Prof. Swain and the Worcester firm, the fact still remains that according to Daniel B. Luten, bridge expert, and after whom it is understood Mr. Denman's company is named, the city is still paying over $3000 more for supervision than it should pay, and would have paid $7000 more than it should pay had it purchased the steel as it originally proposed to purchase it.

Little to Kick About

Because one of the commissioners was chewing something other than the "rag," and presumably, "Old Honesty," while passing the Courier-Citizen building in Monday's parade the aesthetic soul of one of the C. C.'s staff was offended and he criticized the commissioner the following day. Surely a critic must be hard up for something to criticize when he makes mention of the fact that a commissioner chewed tobacco, gum or even cloves, in the parade. But that's the way of the Courier-Citizen, and 'twas ever thus, for long ago when a member of the common council stated at a meeting one night that he smoked in every room in his home, the Courier-Citizen threw up its hands in holy horror and roasted the poor councilman for a year afterward at every opportunity, always referring to him as "Councilman S——, who smokes in every room in his home." Will the Courier-Citizen henceforth refer to "Commissioner M——— who chews while on parade" at every opportunity? It may be that at some time or other the commissioner might have refused the writer a "chew" and is now paying the penalty.

The Memorial Hall Insurance

Insurance men express the opinion that the city fared very well in the adjustment of the Memorial hall losses, which probably justifies the expenditure of $600 for an appraiser representing the city when a city official might have done it without cost to the municipality. The insurance money is not yet all in and Mayor Murphy, I am informed, has stated that not a cent of it shall be touched until the entire amount has been received when all will be formally turned into the general treasury and then appropriated for the repairing of the building. It remains to be seen whether or not the entire $62,000 will be devoted to the repairs on the building or whether some $15,000 more or less will be "saved" and will go toward defraying the expense of the white way lights. The Huntington hall insurance money had gone for years before the public became aware of the fact; the perpetual care fund money had been withdrawn from the banks and was on its way somewhere, before the public got onto its removal. But now the public is on to a plan to use some of the Memorial building insurance money for white way purposes and is watchfully waiting the disposition of that money.

The monthly white way bills came before the municipal council yesterday and were approved. His Honor informed The Sun reporter that there was money in the treasury to meet them and that it was not insurance money. Thus it is assumed that they were met out of the $200 that the mayor "saved" out of his annual appropriation and the "$700" "saved" by Commissioner Morse on the purchase of road oil.

After the Ball Is Over

The Fourth of July celebration has come and gone, and with the receipts from lots, licenses, program, etc., the receipts have been a few hundred dollars in excess of the amount appropriated by the city, so that in reality the city doesn't lose anything after having the big show but instead is a winner. The Sun has suggested editorially that the amount taken in from the sale of lots could be used to good advantage by the park department, but this revenue, unfortunately, cannot be placed to the credit of the appropriation for parks but must go into the general treasury fund where it becomes useful for a variety of purposes. As this celebration didn't cost the city anything, perhaps the municipal council will now appropriate the $3000 that it "saved" on the celebration appropriation, for some other purposes, probably for white way maintenance. There has been considerable criticism of the mayor for closing city hall to the public, which included the friends and families of the employes, especially on account of the inclement weather, while there are also murmurings about the cold-shoulder given to some of the city officials by the mayor relative to the reception to Governor Walsh at the Yorick club. If the entertainment given the governor at the Yorick club was held under the auspices of the city then certain city officials should have been there who were not. For instance, City Solicitor Hennessy is not only a public official but also a classmate of Governor Walsh, but we understand the city solicitor was not among the invited guests at the good time, and there were others. But the celebration itself was a good one, despite the rain, and it demonstrated clearly the great difference between running a Fourth of July show under the old form of government and under the new form. It was a credit to the "do-nothing" administration, even if it was conceived, planned and carried out by the militiamen.

THE SPELLBINDER.

FULL TEXT OF THE GERMAN REPLY

BERLIN, July 9, via London, July 10. The text of the German note follows:

The undersigned has the honor to make the following reply to His Excellency Ambassador Gerard, to the note of the 10th ultimo, re the impairment of American interests by the German submarine war. The Imperial government learned with satisfaction from the note how earnestly the government of the United States is concerned in seeing the principles of humanity realized in the present war.

Also this appeal finds ready echo in Germany and the Imperial government is quite willing to permit its statements and decisions in the present case to be governed by the principles of humanity, just as it has done always.

The Imperial government welcomed with gratitude when the American government in the note of May 15 itself recalled that Germany had always permitted itself to be governed by the principles of progress and humanity in dealing with the law of maritime war.

Together For Freedom of Seas

Since the time when Frederick the Great negotiated with John Adams, Benjamin Franklin and Thomas Jefferson the treaty of friendship and commerce of Sept. 9, 1785, between Prussia and the Republic of the West, German and American statesmen have, in fact, always stood together in the struggle for the freedom of the seas and for the protection of peaceable trade.

In the international proceedings which since have been conducted for the regulation of the laws of maritime war, Germany and America have jointly advocated progressive principles, especially the abolishment of the right of capture at sea and the protection of the interests of neutrals.

Even at the beginning of the present war the German government immediately declared its willingness, in response to proposals of the American government, to ratify the Declaration of London and thereby subject itself in the use of its naval forces to all the restrictions provided therein in favor of neutrals.

"Germany Has No Guilt"

Germany likewise has been always tenacious of the principle that war should be conducted against the armed and organized forces of an enemy country, but that the enemy civilian population must be spared as far as possible from the measures of war.

The Imperial government cherishes the definite hope that some day will be found when peace is concluded, or perhaps earlier, to regulate the law of maritime war in a manner guaranteeing the freedom of the seas, and will welcome it with gratitude and satisfaction if it can work hand in hand with the American government on that occasion.

If in the present war the principles which should be the ideal of the future have been traversed more and more the longer its duration, the German government has no guilt therein. It is known to the American government how Germany's adversaries, by completely paralyzing peaceable traffic between Germany and neutral countries, have aimed from the very beginning and with increasing lack of consideration at the destruction, not so much of armed forces, as the life of the German nation, repudiating in doing so all the rules of international law and disregarding all rights of neutrals.

Charges Against England

On Nov. 3, 1914, England declared the North sea a war zone and by planting poorly anchored mines and by the stoppage and capture of vessels made passage extremely dangerous and difficult for neutral shipping, thus actually blockading neutral coasts and ports contrary to all international law. Long before the beginning of submarine warfare England practically completely intercepted legitimate neutral navigation to Germany also. Thus Germany was driven to a submarine war on trade.

On Nov. 14, 1914, the English premier declared in the house of commons that it was one of England's principal tasks to prevent food for the German population from reaching Germany via neutral ports. Since March England has been taking from neutral ships without further formality all merchandise proceeding to Germany, as well as all merchandise coming from Germany even when neutral property.

Just as it was also with the Boers, the German people is now to be given the choice of perishing from starvation with its women and children or of relinquishing its independence.

Knew Neutrals Might Suffer

While our enemies thus loudly and openly proclaimed war without mercy until our utter destruction, we were conducting a war in self-defence for our national existence and for the sake of peace of an assured permanency.

We have been obliged to adopt a submarine warfare to meet the declared intentions of our enemies and the method of warfare adopted by them in contravention of international law.

With all its efforts in principle to protect neutral life and property from damage as much as possible, the German government recognized unreservedly in its memorandum of Feb. 4 that the interests of neutrals might suffer from the submarine warfare.

However, the American government will also understand and appreciate that in the fight for existence which has been forced upon Germany by its adversaries and announced by them, it is the sacred duty of the Imperial government to do all within its power to protect and save the lives of German subjects.

If the Imperial government were derelict in these, its duties, it would be guilty before God and history of the violation of those principles of highest humanity which are the foundation of every national existence.

Disclaims Lusitania Responsibility

The case of the Lusitania shows with horrible clearness to what jeopardizing of human lives the manner of conducting war employed by our adversaries leads.

In the most direct contradiction of international law all distinctions between merchantmen and war vessels have been obliterated by the order to British merchantmen to arm themselves and to ram submarines, and the promise of rewards therefor, and neutrals who use merchantmen as travelers thereby have been exposed in an increasing degree to all the dangers of war.

If the commander of the German submarine which destroyed the Lusitania had caused the crew and passengers to take to the boats before firing a torpedo this would have meant the sure destruction of his own vessel.

After the experience in sinking much smaller and less seaworthy vessels it was to be expected that a mighty ship like the Lusitania would remain above water long enough even after the torpedoing to permit passengers to enter the ship's boats.

Circumstances of a very peculiar kind, especially the presence on board of large quantities of highly explosive materials (word omitted, possibly "dissipated") this expectation. In addition it may be pointed out that if the Lusitania had been spared thousands of cases of munitions would have been sent to Germany's enemies and thereby thousands of German mothers and children robbed of bread winners.

Concession to American Vessels

In the spirit of friendship wherewith the German nation has been imbued toward the union and its inhabitants since the earliest days of its existence, the Imperial government will always be ready to do all it can during the present war also to prevent the jeopardizing of lives of American citizens.

The Imperial government, therefore, repeats the assurances that American ships will not be hindered in the prosecution of legitimate shipping and the lives of American citizens in neutral vessels shall not be placed in jeopardy.

In order to exclude any unforseen dangers to American passenger steamers, made possible in view of the conduct of maritime war by Germany's adversaries, German submarines will be instructed to permit the free and safe passage of such passenger steamers when made recognizable by special markings and notified a reasonable time in advance.

The Imperial government, however, confidently hopes that the American government will assume to guarantee that these vessels have no contraband on board, details of arrangement for the unhampered passage of these vessels to be agreed upon by the naval authorities of both sides.

Dictates What Ships Shall Fly our Flag

In order to furnish adequate facilities for travel across the Atlantic for American citizens, the German government submits for consideration a proposal to increase the number of available steamers by installing in passenger service a reasonable number of neutral steamers under the American flag, the exact number to be agreed upon under the same conditions as the above-mentioned American steamers.

The Imperial government believes it can assume that in this manner adequate facilities for travel across the Atlantic ocean can be afforded American citizens.

There would, therefore, appear to be no compelling necessity for American citizens to travel to Europe in time of war on ships carrying an enemy flag.

In particular the Imperial government is unable to admit that American citizens can protect an enemy ship through the mere fact of their presence on board.

Injuries to Neutrals Only "Accidents"

Germany merely followed England's example when she declared part of the high seas an area of war. Consequently, accidents suffered by neutrals on enemy ships in this area of war cannot well be judged differently from accidents to which neutrals are at all times exposed at the seat of war on land when they betake themselves into dangerous localities in spite of previous warnings.

If, however, it should not be possible for the American government to require an adequate number of neutral passenger steamers, the Imperial government is prepared to interpose no objections to the placing under the American flag by the American government of four enemy passenger steamers for passenger traffic between North America and England.

Assurances of "free and safe" passage for American passenger steamers would then extend to apply under the identical pro-conditions to these formerly hostile passenger steamers.

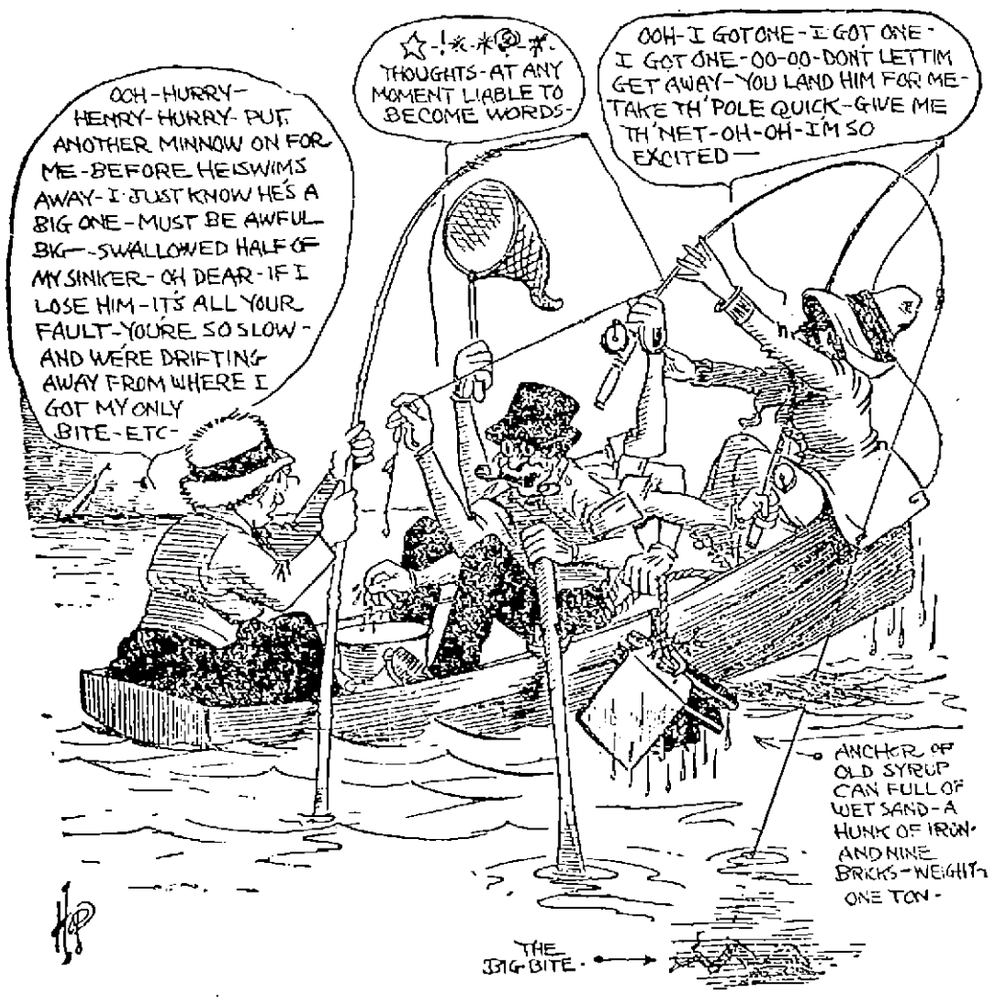
"Lofty Ideals of Freedom of Seas"

The president of the United States has declared his readiness in a way deserving of thanks, to communicate and suggest proposals to the government of Great Britain with particular reference to the alteration of maritime war.

The imperial government will always be glad to make use of the good offices of the president and hopes that his efforts in the present case, as well as in the direction of the lofty ideal of the freedom of the seas, will lead to an undertaking.

The undersigned requests the ambassador to bring the above to the knowledge of the American government and avails himself of the opportunity to renew to His Excellency the assurance of his most distinguished consideration.

(Signed) Von Jagow.



Our Vacation Joy Zone—No. 1—Taking the Ladies Fishing.

BANDITS HELD UP AND ROBBED FAST TRAIN

Set Engine Off at Full Speed With no One in Cab—Conductor Dead

MONTGOMERY, Ala, July 10—Posses of officers and railroad detectives early today were scouring the country around Greenville, Ala., 60 miles south of here, in search of four bandits who near that place, shortly before 2 o'clock this morning held up and robbed the Louisville & Nashville fast train No. 37, bound from New York for New Orleans.

The bandits, after forcing the engine crew to abandon their engine, cut loose the mail, baggage and express cars, ran them a short distance down the track, turned a full head of steam on the engine and started it southward with no one in the cab and then looted the cars. The value of the loot obtained has not been ascertained. The passengers were not molested.

Conductor Phil McRae of Montgomery, after the robbery was found dead sitting on the steps of the observation car of his train. No wound could be found on his body. It was said the bandits fired one shot, but that it went wild.

The chief mail clerk said today a package of currency consigned to Houston, Tex., was secured by the robbers. The amount was not disclosed.

Conductor Phil McRae found dead on the observation car platform, is believed to have been stricken with apoplexy.

ROBBED 35 TOURISTS

U. S. Cavalry and Scouts Searching for Three Highwaymen in Yellowstone Park

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, July 10.—The United States cavalry and scouts today were searching the western side of the Yellowstone National park for the three highwaymen who yesterday held up and robbed a party of 35 tourists, mostly teachers from New York city, who were making the trip into the park in five stage coaches.

All reports received here stated that individual losses were small.

SUN FEATURES MONDAY

Ladies' Page With Fashion Descriptions and Illustrations—"What the Cook Says"

Monday's Sun will contain the Women's Page with fashion cuts, descriptions of styles and other articles of particular interest to women readers.

"What the Cook Says" will tell how to put up Eight Day Pickles; how to clean a Panama hat, and other interesting and helpful information.

"The Eyebrows and Sport Hats" will be the topic of the article tomorrow under the caption, "In Milady's Boudoir." "What the French Maid Said" will discuss "Packing for the Summer Trip." "Billy and Tage" will be the "Sleepytime Tale."

Don't miss the two big comic features, "Samuels and Sylenz" and "Charlie Chaplin."

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing; Tobin's, Asso. Bldg.

Before going away, have The Sun sent to your vacation address.

If your teeth trouble you see Dr. Gagnon, 466 Merrimack street.

Which is it? Jess Willard with the wild west show, or the wild west show with Jess Willard?

Marriage intentions registered in Lawrence this week include the following:

When you have any real estate to sell, consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg. Telephone.

Hope Lowell's new manager will be as successful as the new leader of the White Sox.

The consistency of some landlords is equalled only by that of some politicians.

You get a discount price on your furniture repairs at Adams & Co.'s during July and August.

It is rumored that several new officials will soon appear in Merrimack square.

Dr. J. T. Donohue will be out of town during the remainder of July on his vacation.

The G. O. P. will attempt to "come back" at the outing at Bunting park today.

George Massey, engraver, 62 Butler street, Lawrence and Emily Culline, at home, 27, Methuen street, Lowell.

A large number of local fans planned to go out to Spalding park this afternoon to give the new manager the double O.

Mike Markham was seen running up Gorham street the other morning. No—not that—he was training for the fat men's race to be run off in connection with the Elks' outing.

"How is it that there is such a small number with us this morning?" said a passenger to the conductor of a local street car yesterday morning which is usually crowded on that particular trip. "Well," replied the nickel snatcher, "I suppose the people are walking or riding in a jitney as a protest against the open cars during the recent stormy weather."

KILLED IN AUTO WRECK

QUINCY, July 10.—Dr. Edward N. Currier, a dentist, of 1761 Beacon street, Brookline, was instantly killed on Quincy avenue in this city last evening, when his automobile turned completely over while going at a rapid rate of speed.

PLEADS GUILTY OF MURDER

DOVER, N. H., July 10.—Rodney Merchant, who shot and fatally wounded Edward A. Willand, superintendent of the Strafford county farm Thursday evening, following an altercation between himself and the engineer of the farm, pleaded guilty to the charge of murder in the municipal court at 4.30 yesterday afternoon, notwithstanding the fact that he had declared earlier in the day that he shot in self defense.

Merchant did not know until late yesterday that one of the two bullets he had fired into Supt. Willand's body had proved fatal. As soon as he was told this by Sheriff Young he asked how he could procure counsel, but later said he did not want counsel and would plead guilty. Judge Nason instructed him as to his right to plead not guilty, whether he considered himself guilty or not.

"That will do me no good," he replied. "I shot him and have decided to plead guilty."

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Next Saturday, July 17, at 3 O'Clock

HEIRS' SALE OF THE TAYLOR PROPERTY IN TWO SEPARATE PARCELS. FIRST PARCEL LOCATED AT NOS. 63-71 EXETER ST., CONSISTS OF A TWO-TENEMENT HOUSE AND ABOUT 4000 SQ. FEET OF LAND. SECOND PARCEL, AT NO. 67 EXETER ST., IS A COTTAGE HOUSE AND ABOUT 4400 SQ. FEET OF LAND.

FIRST PARCEL AT 3 O'CLOCK

An up-to-date two-tenement house with seven rooms, bath and pantry with each.

The flats are well arranged, every room airy and well lighted, excellent closet room, front and back stairs, separate front and back doors, side porches, and good, dry cellars. The house is in excellent shape inside and out, it being built but a few years ago for its present owners. The flats rent for $15 each, making a yearly rental of $360. The lot has a large frontage on Exeter street, with an area of about 4000 square feet. Good yard room, all in lawn, with concrete walk around the house.

This parcel should interest the home-seeker, who could occupy one tenement and have the income of the other.

Terms—$350 must be secured to the auctioneer as soon as struck off.

SECOND PARCEL AT 3.15 O'CLOCK

A two-story cottage house with slated roof, having eight rooms, pantry, bath and storeroom. On the first floor are hallway, parlor, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, bath, pantry and side vestibule. On the next floor are three large square chambers, well lighted, also storeroom, and above is a finished attic. This cottage is in splendid shape, inside and out, and is occupied by its present owners, and would easily rent for $18 per month. The lot, which is practically a corner one, has a good frontage, with an area of about 4400 square feet. Large lawns, several fruit trees, cherry, peach and pear and small shrubbery. This little home would have to be seen to be appreciated, and if you want to locate in Centralville, here is your opportunity.

Terms: $250 must be secured to the auctioneer as soon as struck off.

Now, then, Mr. Homeseeker and speculator, the above two parcels will be offered for absolute sale, regardless of any condition of the weather, and it is up to you to attend the sale, for it is seldom you get an opportunity to purchase this kind of property at absolute sale. The properties are within 15 minutes' walk of Merrimack square, near to many large industries, schools and churches.

All inquiries must be made of the auctioneer, who has full charge.

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